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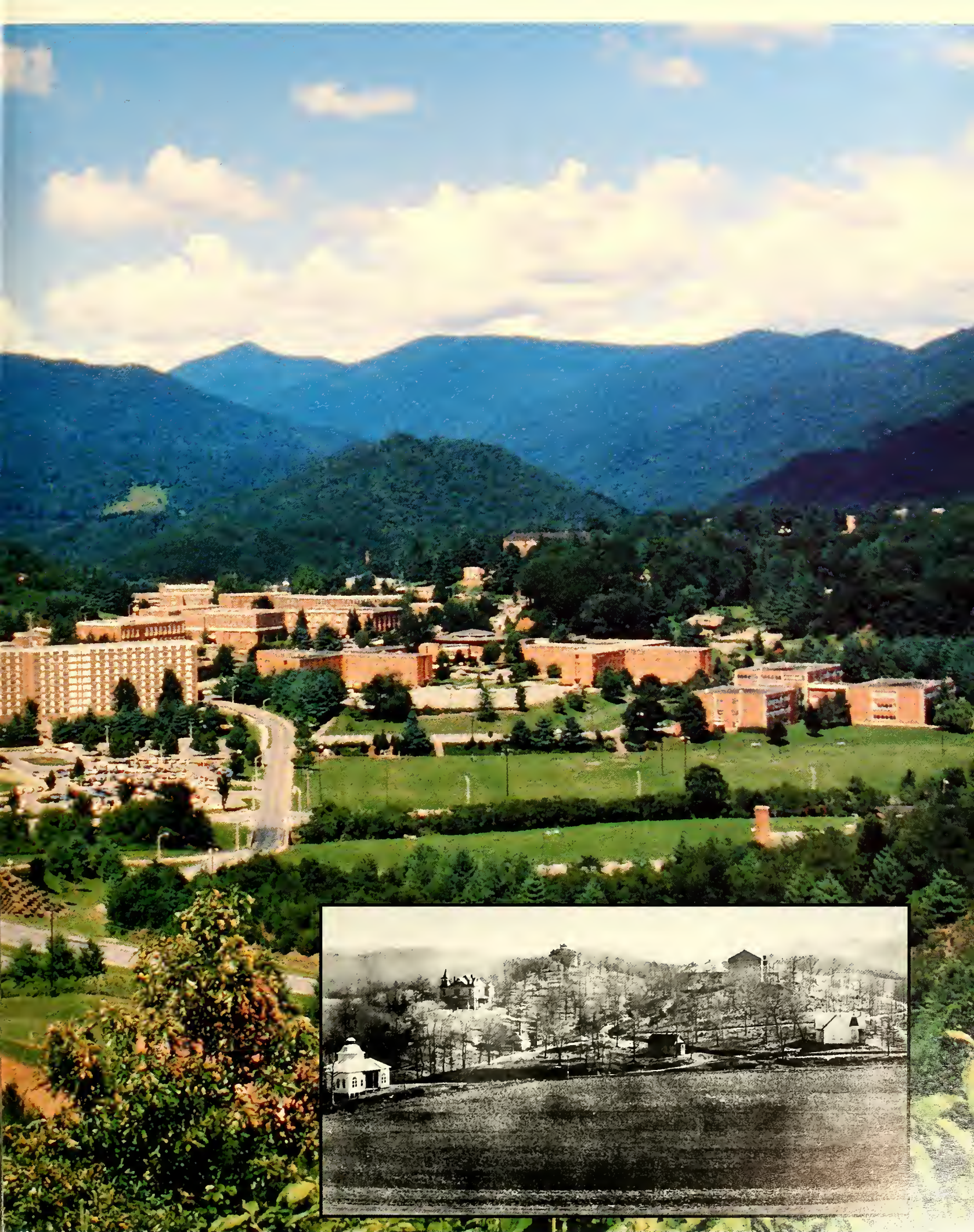


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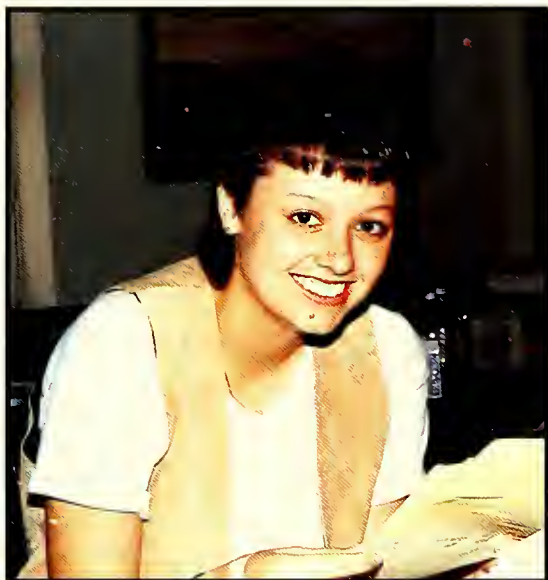
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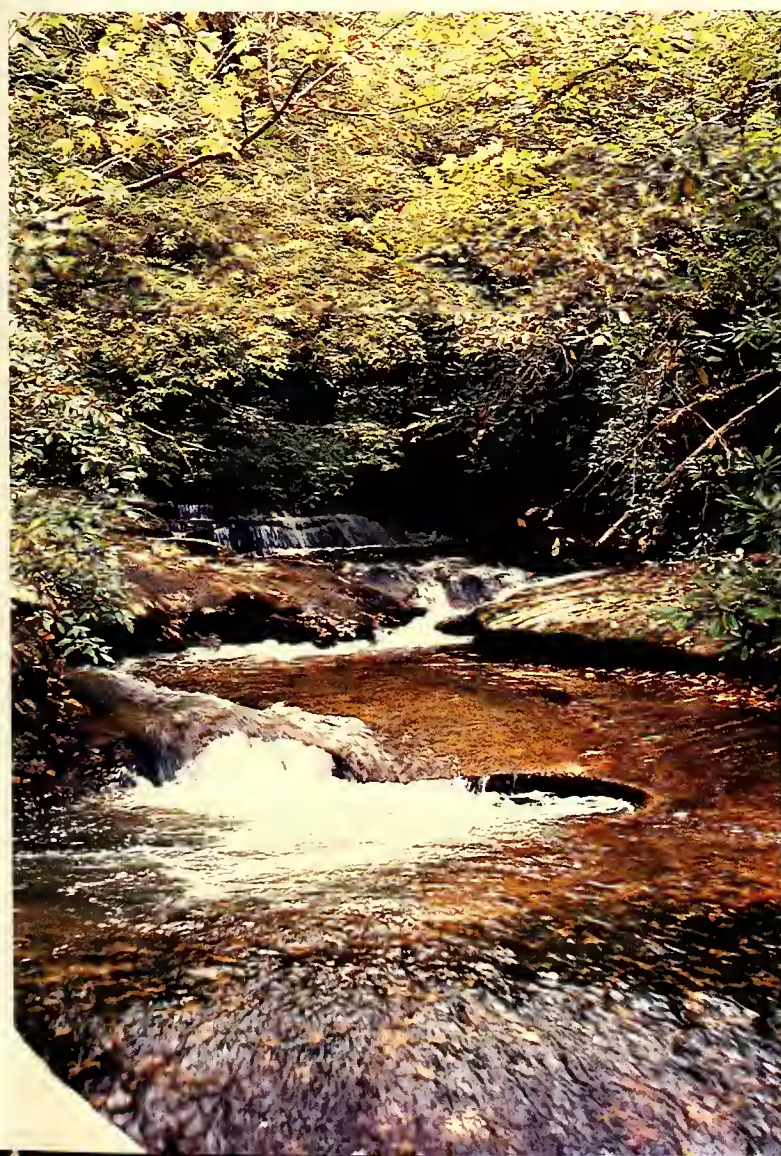




# SCENERY — CULLOWHEE STYLE









# The Long Fight Ends

Editor's Note: Due to the fact that Mr. Bob Waters died May 29 and that, in the opinion of the CATAMOUNT staff, one last tribute was due, these two pages are dedicated in loving memory of a man who was well-liked and appreciated by many people.

Memorial Day has traditionally been a day when our nation honors its sons who have fallen in battle defending the country. On May 29, 1989, another warrior's battle came to an end. Robert Lee Waters died in his home at the age of fifty of heart failure, a complication of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS). Waters had recently been reassigned by Chancellor Myron Coulter as associate athletic director and head football coach for Western Carolina University for twenty years.

It was in his role as head football coach that Waters influenced so many other lives. His coaching record, which follows, gives an impressive insight to his leadership abilities.

Bob Water's record as a head coach was accomplished at one school, Western Carolina University. His path to WCU was long and encompassed other places and people. And fate came in a few times to lend a hand.

Coach Water's was born on June 22, 1938, and grew up in the small farming country of Sylvania, Georgia. He was quite proficient in athletics, earning 11 high school letters in three different sports. He tried out for the South Georgia College football team in the Spring of his senior year but suffered a broken leg the first day. Consequently, no scholarship offer was made to him. Waters played his freshman year at Stetson University as quarterback and defensive back. When school officials discontinued football at the end of the season, Waters left for Presbyterian College in Clinton, South Carolina. He was quarterback, defensive back, and an exceptional student during his three years at Clinton. His college football career ended after he took Presbyterian to the Tangerine Bowl (now the Florida Citrus Bowl) in 1960. Though his team was defeated, Waters was named the game's MVP.

His fine performance in a bowl game led the NFL's San Francisco 49ers and the AFL's San Diego Chargers to draft Waters. He signed

with the 49ers and was an important component in Coach Red Hickey's new "shotgun" offense. In his first season, Waters threw three touchdown passes against the Baltimore Colts, helping the 49ers achieve a major upset. More importantly, his rookie season was the year he met and married Sherine Gidley.

After four years as quarterback and one year as defensive back, injuries took their toll and Waters sought a career less physically damaging. In 1966, he became assistant coach at Presbyterian. After two seasons he decided to move on, becoming the side receivers' coach at Stanford University for the 1968 season.

Western Carolina University happened to need a head coach in 1969, and Bob Waters was selected to fill the vacancy. His 9-1 record in 1969 began the Waters path at WCU. At the end of 1972 the team was ranked 8th nationally; it advanced to the NCAA Division II playoff appearance in school history for the football team. The 1983 season was perhaps the high point in the coaching career of Coach Waters. The Catamounts came within one game of winning the NCAA I-AA Championship.

Mere numbers in the won/lost column do not do justice to Coach Waters, or show how much he meant to his players. During the Waters era, WCU football produced thirteen All-Americans and fifty-four All-Southern Conference players. Coach Waters also felt that high academic standards should be a part of a complete athletic program. During his tenure, a significant number of players received their degrees.

In addition to being head football coach, Waters was the Athletic Director from 1971 to 1986 for WCU. These were the years of much growth for the athletic programs at the school. The 12,000-seat Whitmire Stadium and the Jordan-Phillips Field house opened in 1974. Bob Waters was instrumental in the planning of both facilities. He also chaired the committee that planned the Ramsey Center, a \$16 million sports complex. Waters tried to build up the athletic programs as well. When he came to WCU in 1969, the school was in the NAIA ranks. Under Water's direction, the school moved up to NCAA Division II as an independent. These efforts to improve culminated in 1977, when WCU moved up to the NCAA Division I-AA level and joined the Southern Conference.

As head coach, Waters was noted for his daring, pass-oriented offense. Under his leadership, WCU had players leading the Southern Conference in pass receiving seven times. When he was replaced, Waters was the dean

of Southern Conference coaches.

During his career, Waters received many honors and awards. Among the most notable: 1983 Southern Conference Coach of the Year, 1969 American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) District Division College Coach of the Year. He was also inducted into the South Carolina Athletic Hall of Fame, the Florida Citrus Bowl Hall of Fame, and the Western North Carolina Sports Hall of Fame, all within the past two years. In addition, many newspaper articles and television reports have been done about him.

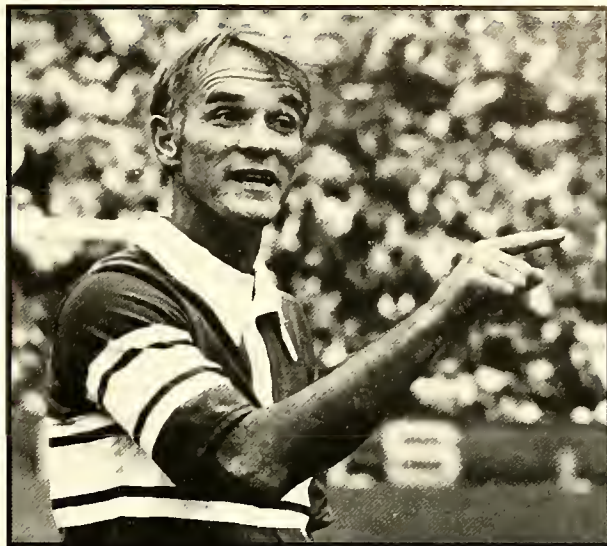
The extensive news coverage of Coach Waters unfortunately had little to do with his jobs as head football coach and Athletic Director of WCU. Bob Waters was relatively little-known outside the region until he revealed in 1985, prior to the start of the football season, that he was diagnosed with ALS, or Lou Gehrig's disease. This incurable disease attacks the nervous system and renders the muscles of the body useless.

Waters resigned as athletic director in 1986 to give his full time attention to the football program. Before the 1986 season, he lost the use of both arms due to the effects of ALS. Toward the final months of his life, Waters was confined to a wheelchair, dependent on a portable respirator, and forced to use an amplifier to speak. Through these difficulties, Bob Waters continued his job at WCU. He also worked intently on efforts to improve ALS research and helped the Muscular Dystrophy Association with its fund raising programs by appearing on some nationally televised shows.

On June 1, 1989, Bob Water's funeral was held on Bob Waters Field at WCU. The Rev. John Boggs of the Cullowhee United Methodist Church performed the service. Over one thousand people were there to pay their final respects to Bob Waters. He was buried in the Cullowhee United Methodist Church cemetery.

— Daniel M. Breen





(top): He was there as a leader.

(above): He was there for support.

(far left): He was there to ensure that we go the best.

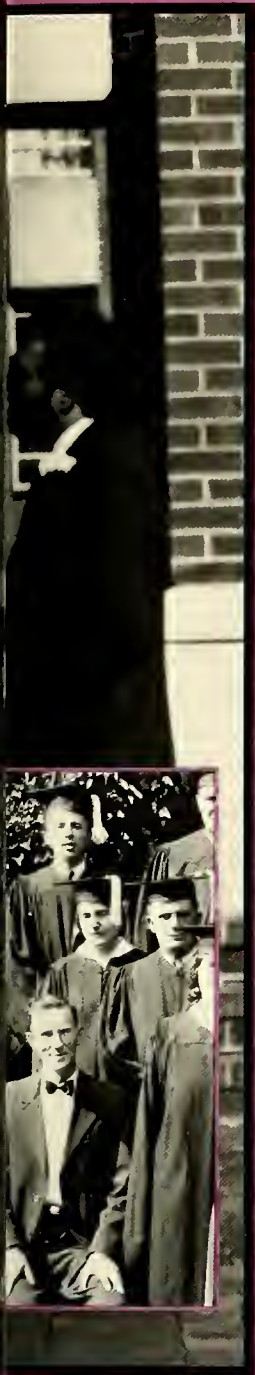
(left): He was the best.

Bob Wain





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# Rain Dampens Mountain Heritage Day

## Festivities Moved Inside

This year's Mountain Heritage Day was different from any other. Since the first Mountain Heritage Day 15 years ago, the events were held inside due to rain. Although approximately only 20,000 people came, compared to the expected 35,000, many events still went as planned. The only event that was canceled was the horseshoe contest. All but three crafts and food vendors showed up for the festivities. Evidently, sales were not hampered by the rain. According to Dr. Doug Davis, Vice Chancellor of Student Development, "success was mixed — some said they did

better than last year — others did worse." One advantage of having Mountain Heritage Day indoors this year was the flexibility. Visitors, as well as the vendors, could enjoy music from anywhere in the building as opposed to standing near the stage. Having Mountain Heritage Day inside made things more comfortable too. Instead of having to sit on hay in the hot sun, visitors sat in the Ramsey Center in comfortable chairs with air-conditioning. Overall, everyone adjusted to the changes very well, "everyone was pleasantly surprised at the outcome, but

we will work on improvements, and next time we will be better prepared," said Dr. Davis.

One disadvantage of this year's festivities was the necessity of unloading everything in the rain. The physical plant had a difficult time trying to unload and set up tables and tents Friday afternoon and evening because of frequent downpours and wind. Some tents had to be put up again Saturday morning because of these conditions. The crafts people also had a hard time unloading their crafts, without damaging them, through one or two very small doors. "It was a long and very slow task, but the people were very understanding and patient, so we managed to get things done without a hitch," said Davis.

The rain also caused a few demonstrators to move inside, mainly the blacksmith and steam engine. Due to the heat these demonstrators were emitting, fire alarm was set off and they were immediately moved outside under the shelter of the Ramsey Center. Overall, there seemed to be a steady stream of people participating in Mountain Heritage Day from around 10:30 a.m. on. In Dr. Davis's words, "we have now succeeded in sponsoring the largest event ever held in the Ramsey Center. We have now proved that the Ramsey Center can do what it was built for, to handle events such as Mountain Heritage Day."

— Aletha Hyatt











Concentrating hard to hit all the right notes.

Swing your partner.







Pickin' and a Grinnin'

Music filled the air and added to the festivities.

Many different types of crafts are exhibited on Mountain Heritage Day.





# Homecoming . . . A Crowning Tradition







ROTC cadets smoothly execute the opening of the Alumni Tower Dedication ceremony.

Chancellor Myron Coulter, Student Body President Brent Taylor and two representatives from the Alumni Association cut the ribbon of the Alumni Tower Dedication.



The Cat promotes that high spirit of the Catamounts.



The university band added to the excitement of the festivities with pep.



# Festivities Varied PARADES TO PEP RALLIES

Homecoming was a weekend full of ceremonies, awards, and tradition. Events started with a concert and culminated with the Homecoming game. The most impressive ceremony, though, was the crowning of the Homecoming Queen, Traci Shuford.

Traci is the daughter of Mrs. Betty Shuford and the late Charles Shuford. She is a junior majoring in Parks and Recreation Management. The new Queen was representing Alpha Chi Omega sorority. Besides being an active sister of Alpha Chi Omega sorority, Traci divides her time between several campus organizations. She is a member of Lectures, Concerts and Exhibitions Committee, University Chorus, Parks and Recreation Management Club, and the Baptist Student Union.

Along with Traci, six other girls were chosen to be members of the Homecoming Court. The representatives and their sponsors are as follows: Andrea Adams, sophomore, Helder Residence Hall; Julie Cole, junior, Kappa Alpha Order; Michelle Croak, sophomore, Army ROTC; Angela Lyon, senior, Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity; Debbie Marshall, senior, Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity; and Nicole Peterson, junior, Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity.

Besides the coronation, there were many other activities that took place to celebrate the Centennial Homecoming. There was the dedication of the Alumni Tower, the Distinguished Alumni Award Banquet, the Homecoming parade, and the Cats Prowl pep rally.

In the parade, Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity and Phi Mu sorority won the Chancellor's Award for best float and the International Students' Association won for the best non-float entry. Winner of the best independent honors was the Wesley Foundation. The girls of Walker's fourth floor walked away with the best residence hall entry. The best fraternity float was won by Lambda Chi Alpha and best sorority was won by the Delta Zeta/Kappa Alpha team.

— Tamara Munday

(Below) An Army helicopter brought parachutists and enthusiasm to the crowd.



Angela Lyon and her escort appear excited to be a part of the Homecoming activities.



Andrea Adams



Julie Cole



Michelle Croak







(left) Parachutists leap from the sky to pump up the crowd.

(below left) Delta Zeta performs in the skit competition at the Pep Rally.

(below— Pi Lambda Phi fraternity expresses their pride and support for the Catamounts.



Angela Lyon

Debbie Marshall

Nicole Peterson





# Music and food abundant at . . . "Spring Fling"

Students enjoy week-long festivities

Games, music and food were plentiful April 17-21 as students celebrated the annual "Spring Fling." The week long event, organized and promoted by Last Minute Productions, brought students and faculty alike out of domes, classrooms and the cafeteria to enjoy the beautiful spring weather. Dinner on the lawn, complete with Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Chips and dessert, was served while students listened to the tunes pumped out by the live band "Hard Knox." One afternoon games like "Twister" and "Earth-ball" were played and prizes such as a free phone, free cable and a tape recorder were given away.



(right) Shannon Myers and Michelle Teman enjoy a cool dessert in the warm weather.



(above) Dinner on the lawn — sitting on the steps of the alumni tower.

(upper far right) Even future Catamounts get a kick out of the festivities.

(far right) Students wait in line to fill their plates.

(right) Want a bite? Psych!







(left) The University Center lawn amidst all of the activities.

(below) What a way to relieve stress!

(below) Good friends, good music and good food — what a way to spend an afternoon.

(below) Photographer Jonathan Fondow doesn't look too pleased about being locked up.





# "Psychedelic Psytenial"



*Sponsored by Last Minute Productions*







(above) Hot Dog!

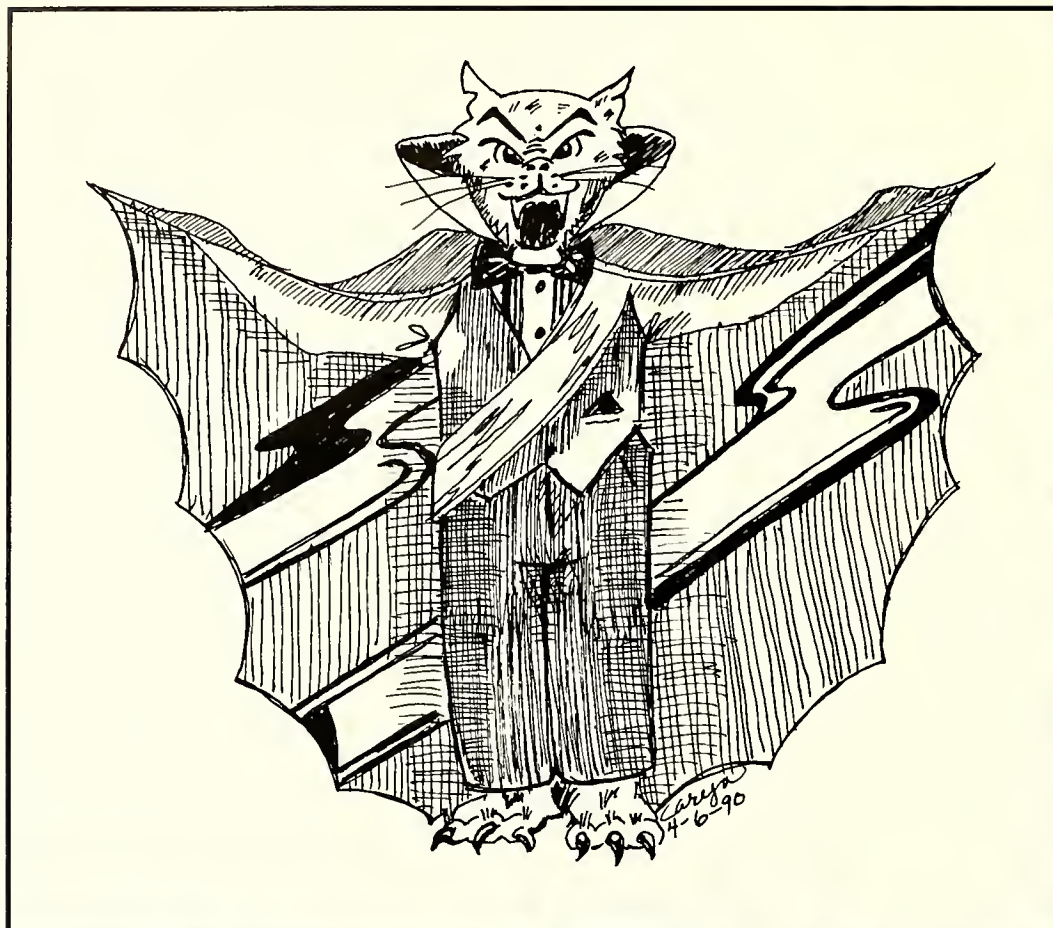
(top) David Parker, Brent Taylor and Alicia Euliss enjoy dinner on the lawn.

(left) Fred Mason takes advantage of the all you can eat free ice cream.

April 17-21



# Ghosts and Goblins . . .



(above) Sigma Nu Safari!

(top right) Wicked Witch of Western?

(above) What a couple of babes!





"Ever danced with the devil in  
the pale moonlight?"

— The Joker



Fact or Fiction? Moore Building — Sup-  
posedly the site of a holiday murder in the  
1950's.

Ghosts, Goblins, Devils and  
Witches roam the campus every  
year around October 31. Al-  
though these characters are  
only students having their  
harmless, juvenile, partying  
time, rumor has it that there is at  
least one real ghost haunting  
the old campus.

According to the traditional  
story told to freshmen, one  
year in the 1950's, during the  
labor day weekend holiday, a  
young female student returned  
to her dorm room late at night.  
She didn't turn on the light, for  
fear of waking her roommate,  
and climbed into bed for the  
evening. When she awoke in  
the morning, her roommate  
was dead and she found evi-  
dence that indicated the mur-  
derer had been in the room  
after she had gone to bed. Now  
whether this story is true or just  
another freshman scare tactic  
is up to each individual.



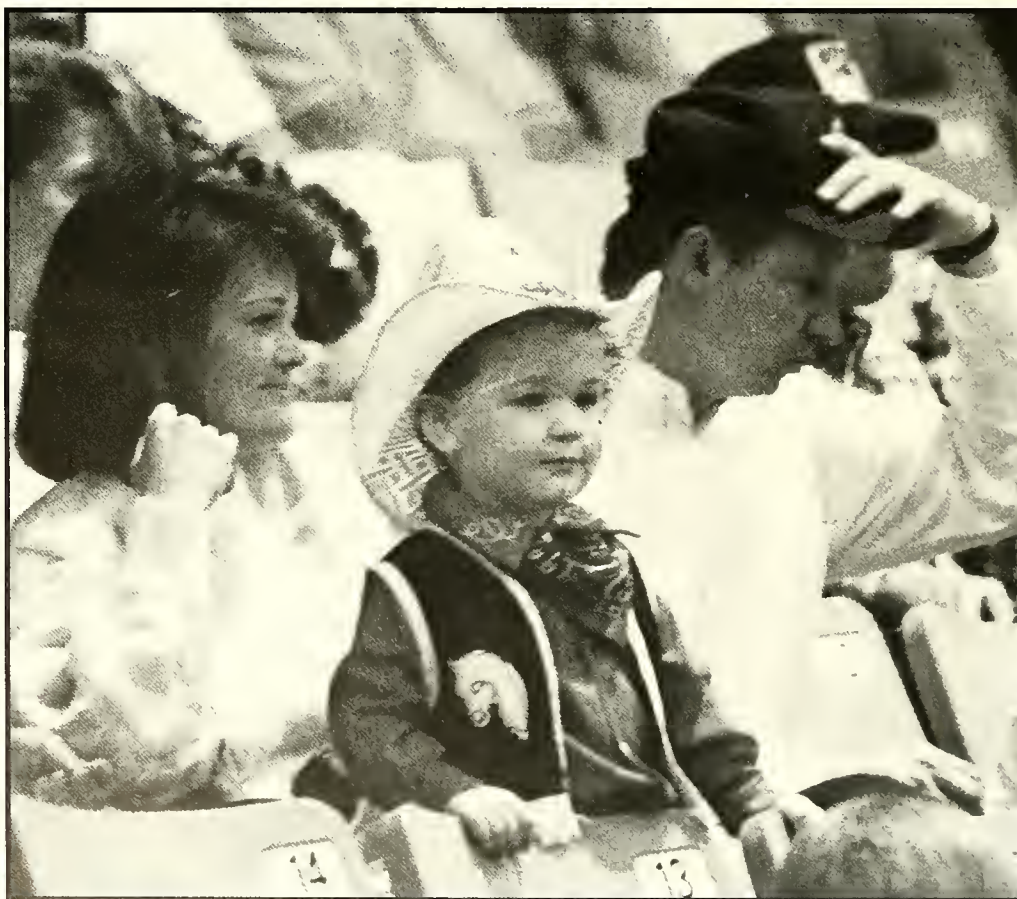
## Great Smokies Pro Rodeo Entertaining

Rodeo is a sport that developed out of the great cattle drives during the late 1800's in the American west as ranch outfits met on trails and at railheads and matched their top cowboys in spontaneous contests of skill at riding and roping. Later, it became customary for large ranches of the American west to put on rodeos, loosely organized events that included competition between cowboys, along with food and dancing. The rodeos provided a welcome relief from the cowboy's hard and lonely life on the range.

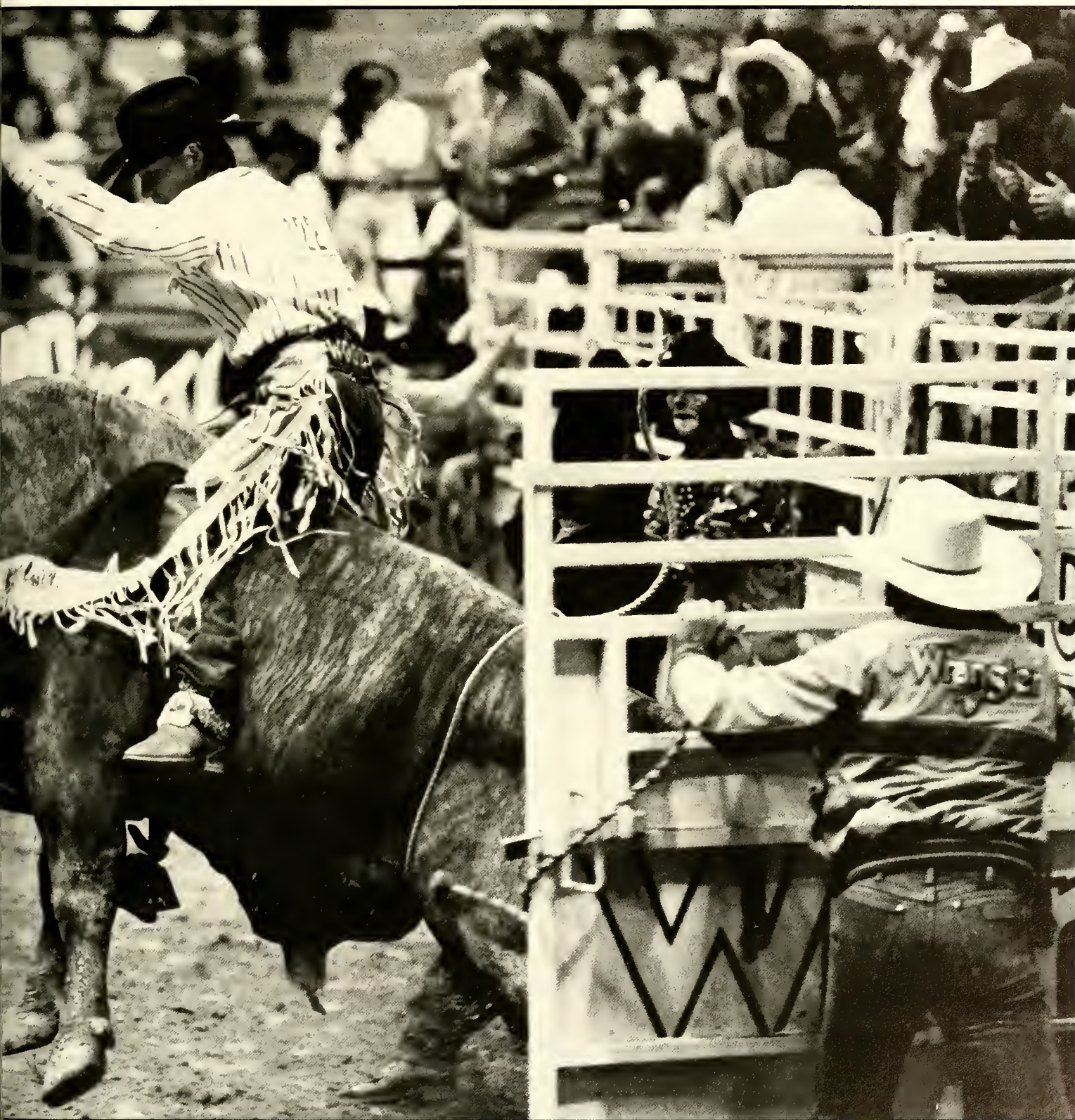
The romance and ruggedness of the Old West has been kept alive through the sport of rodeo. Unlike other professional sports, modern rodeo is the only professional athletic competition in which skills are derived exclusively from a working environment. Cowboys began roping calves and riding broncos not for fun and excitement and not out of a spirit of competition, but because that was the way they made their living. From its humble beginnings, rodeo has "gone bigtime", with millions of dollars in prize money awarded annually.

No rodeo would be complete without

those rodeo clowns, who provide comic relief in between events and, more importantly, provide safety to fallen cowboys in the awe-inspiring bullriding competition. Veteran rodeo clown Rick Young, a crowd favorite at last year's first-ever Pro Rodeo at Western Carolina, returned to the Ramsey Center with a brand new bag of tricks. Young, who has been involved in rodeo for more than 30 years, is one of the nation's top rodeo clowns and has worked rodeos from Canada to Hawaii. He has appeared in several films, including "Everybody's All-American" with Dennis Quaid, "Alvarez Kelly", "The Great American Cowboy", "Stunt-O-Rama", and the television movie "In the Heat of the Night". Unlike many other rodeo clowns, Young focused more on comedy than on bullfighting, said Robert Steward, director of the Ramsey Regional Activity Center. "We were pleased to have an entertainer with the number of years of experience and credits that Rick Young has. Rick added a light-hearted element to the rodeo performances, and he was a real crowd pleaser." — OPI











## Rodeo Games

The uniquely American spectacle of rodeo rumbled through the Ramsey Center March 30-31 and April 2.

A total of 139 competitors from as far west as Utah and as far east as New Jersey participated in the three-day event. A whopping 45 contestants competed in the bull-riding

event, a traditional rodeo crowd favorite. Twenty-two cowboys signed up for steer wrestling, 20 for bareback riding and 17 for calf roping. Seventeen cowgirls competed for top honors in the barrel racing event.

The Great Smokies Pro Rodeo is nationally sanctioned by the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Assoc. and the Women's Professional Rodeo Assoc. In addition to cash prizes, participants also competed for points to

determine whether they would compete in the National Finals Rodeo (NFR), the pro rodeo equivalent of the NBA championship.

Several special rodeo events were held, including the pre-rodeo party that was held at the Copper Kettle in Maggie Valley and featured a band, dancing and rodeo games. After the Friday rodeo, the Catamount Inn hosted a dance and southwestern buffet with music by the Rick Morris Band.







# RICHARD MARX ROCKS

On February 25, Grammy Nominee, Richard Marx, came rolling into Cullowhee. On the wings of his eighth consecutive top ten hit, Marx kept the crowd of 3500 on their feet. From the opening chord of "Too Late To Say Goodbye" to the ending note of "On the Edge of a Broken Heart," Marx kept the concert goers in tune with his variety of songs.

The concert was in support of his latest album, "Repeat Offender," which as of this writing has sold close to 4 million copies. Even though "Offender" is only Marx's second album, his experience in the music industry dates back twelve years. Marx began his career as a

songwriter for other popular artists as well as movie soundtracks. Nine years after his first song, Marx decided to try the music world as a solo artist. His first album sold 2 million copies, and the critics claimed that the success of his debut lp could not be duplicated, thus the name of his second album "Repeat Offender."

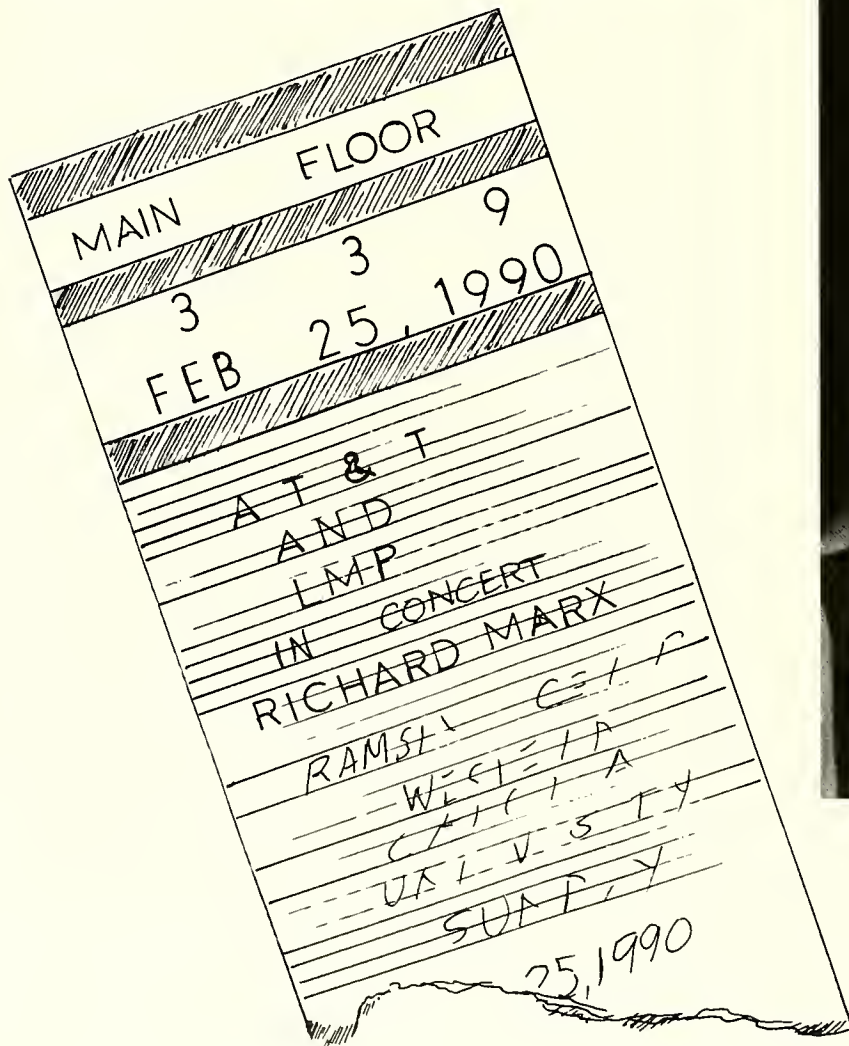
The band was welcomed with an outpouring of cries, "Richard, Richard." And on this night, no one could leave the Ramsey Center disappointed. He came with the intentions to please everyone, and he did.

The Tim Karr band opened up for Richard Marx, and seemed to get the crowd in a rocking mood. Even though their eight-

song set was short, it hit the spot with many onlookers. Coming into the concert, most of the crowd had not heard of Tim Karr, but upon his departure, he and his band gained quite a few new fans.

It's not often that Cullowhee gets to see stars perform. But tonight, they were in full array. This was the first trip that Richard Marx has made to Cullowhee, but from the reaction that was given, I'm sure it won't be his last. February 25, 1990, will be a date that many will never forget.

— Chris Jackson







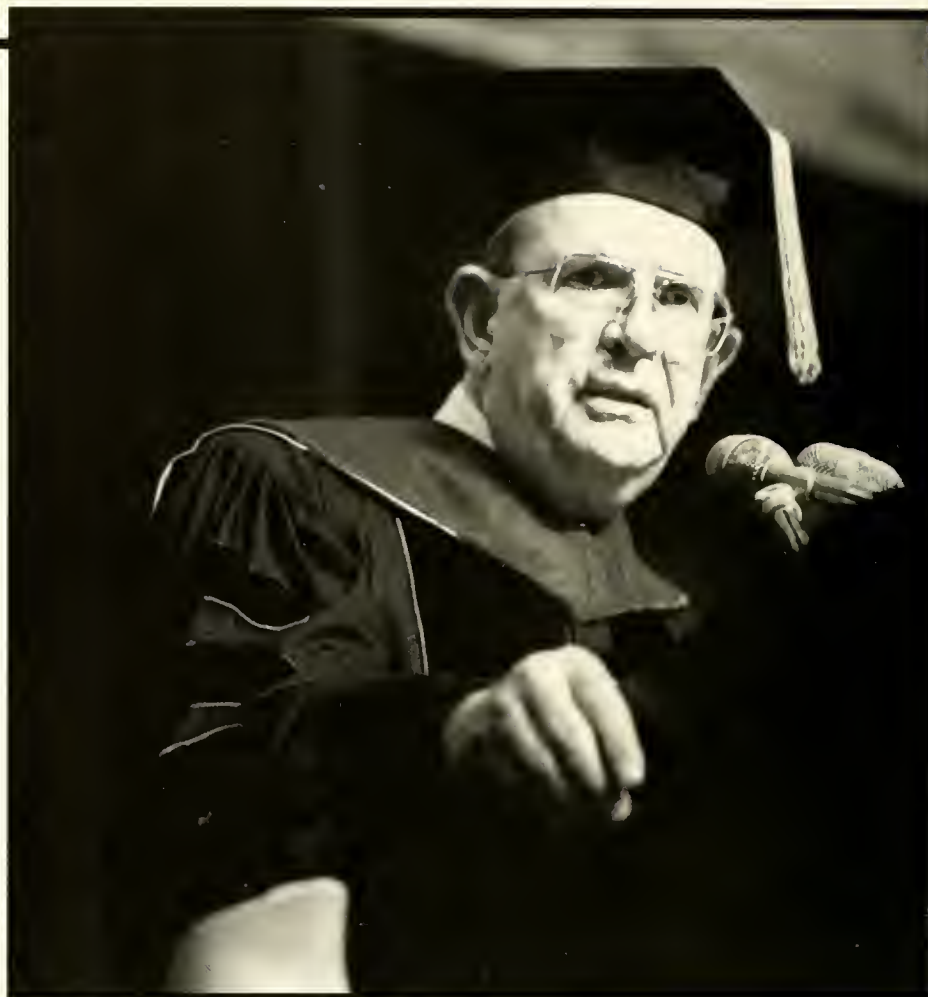


## *Graduation*

# *The Class of 1990*

Saturday, May 9, the Ramsey Center became the focus of a long awaited day for eight hundred ninety-three college students. Commencement exercises began at 2:00 in the afternoon with Chancellor Myron Coulter presiding and John H. Wakely, vice-chancellor for Academic Affairs, presiding at the presentation of degrees.

Addressing the soon-to-be graduates was the Rev. Ernest A. Fitzgerald, resident bishop of the Atlanta area of the United Methodist Church and a well-known alumnus of Western Carolina University. Fitzgerald, a native of Crouse in Lincoln County, was a 1947 graduate of Western Carolina Teacher's College. He received a bachelor's degree from Duke University Divinity School in 1951 and earned doctor of divinity degrees from High Point College and Pfeiffer College. He received Western Carolina's Distinguished Alumnus Award in 1981 and Duke Divinity School's distinguished alumnus award in 1983.









*At Last . . .*











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# FOOTBALL GREATS

The preview manual started with "A New Beginning." And that was the feeling that carried for the entire season.

The "new" started with the naming of Dale Strahm as head football coach and encompassed everything from team spirit to the new uniforms. Then, just as we thought the "new" was a thing of the past and stability had finally arrived, Dale Strahm moved on and coach Steve Hodgins was named head coach.

The schedule that the Catamounts faced was the hardest schedule in the conference, but Coach Strahm felt confident that even if the team lost, they would be learning and building strength for future games. Coach Strahm stated that his main goal was "to put in place a solid foundation, and build on it brick by brick."

The season indeed was a time of re-building and re-structuring. "The 3-7-1 season," Coach Hodgins said, "did not reflect the way the team actually played. We played a lot better on a game to game basis than the overall season record showed." During the season, Strahm made many changes, established new plays and ideals, and made for an overall good season.

In the upcoming season, Coach Hodgins hopes to continue the strong, positive "new beginning" that Coach Strahm laid the foundation for. When asked what his top priority for the upcoming season would be, Coach Hodgins said, "to make the alumni, faculty, students and staff proud of our football program by winning and playing hard."

The Cats work together to get a first down.

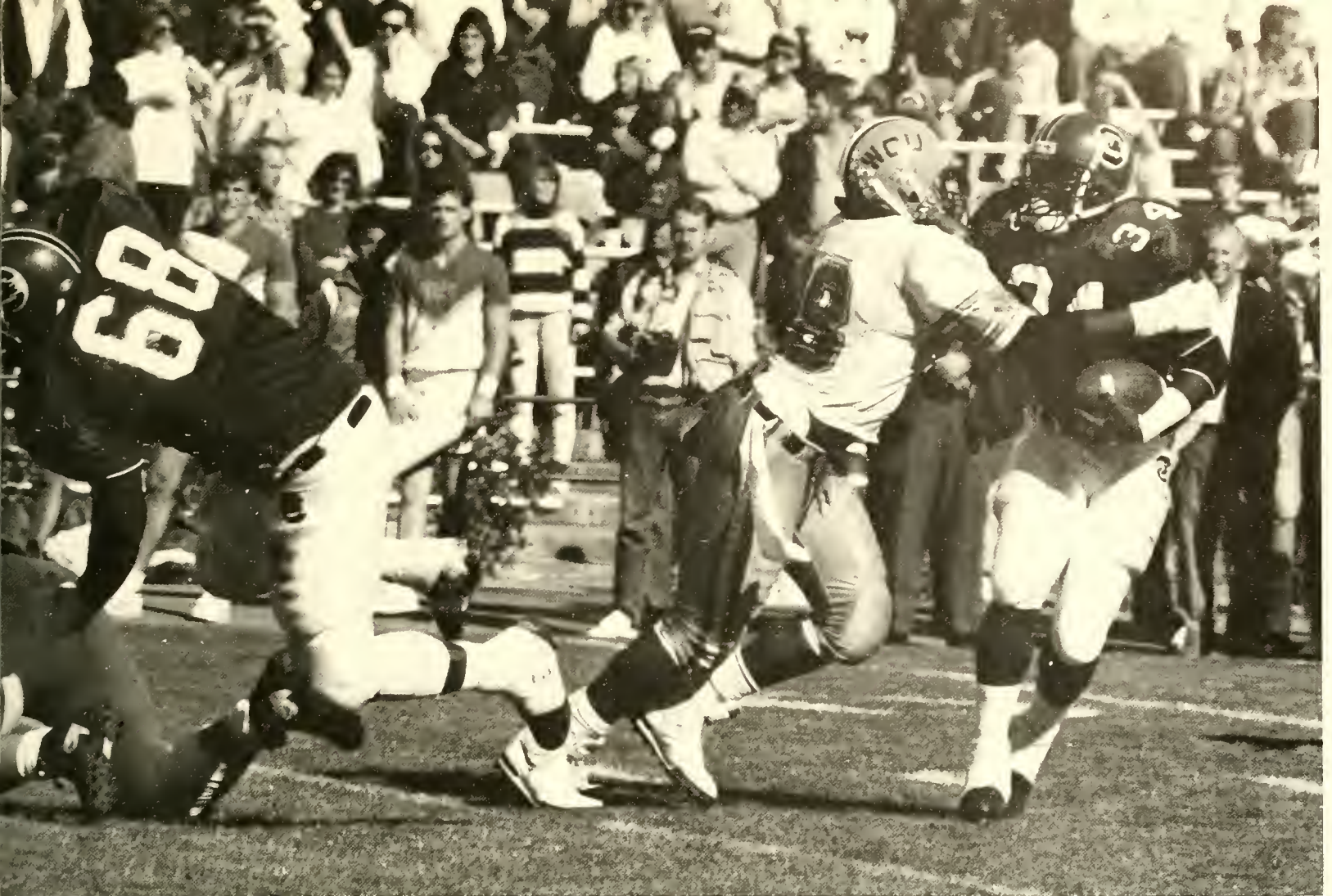


Offense works together to try to hold back ASU.

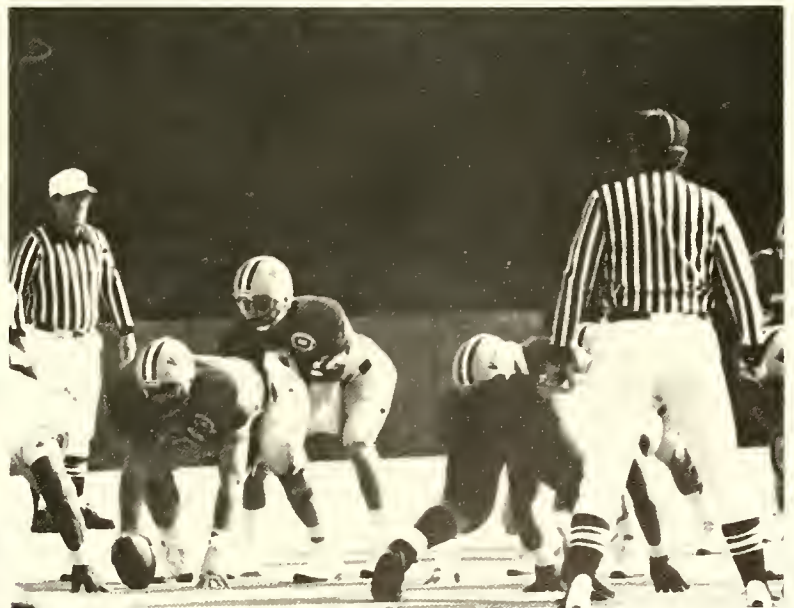


That awesome Cat defense is ready to block





Jon Reed dodges the Citadel defense.



Lone Catamount tackle.

Todd Cottrell and team get ready for a play.



# Catamount Football

A Season of  
Change



Getting ready for a big play  
against Furman.



Todd Harkins and Tim Marshall  
make room for Todd.

All stacked up and no place  
to go.







Todd looks for the perfect pass.



Jon Reed gets stopped.

Making sure the team is ready.



# VOLLEYBALL PRIDE

Once again, the Lady Catamounts Volleyball team gave the school a reason to be proud. The team showed strength and a desire to win. Even after the loss of several good players, the team was ready for any challenge that another team could present.

Under the ever-present leadership of Regina Brown and Jackie Chage, awesome power plays and team work showed in every aspect of the game, from the first serve down to the last seconds of the game.

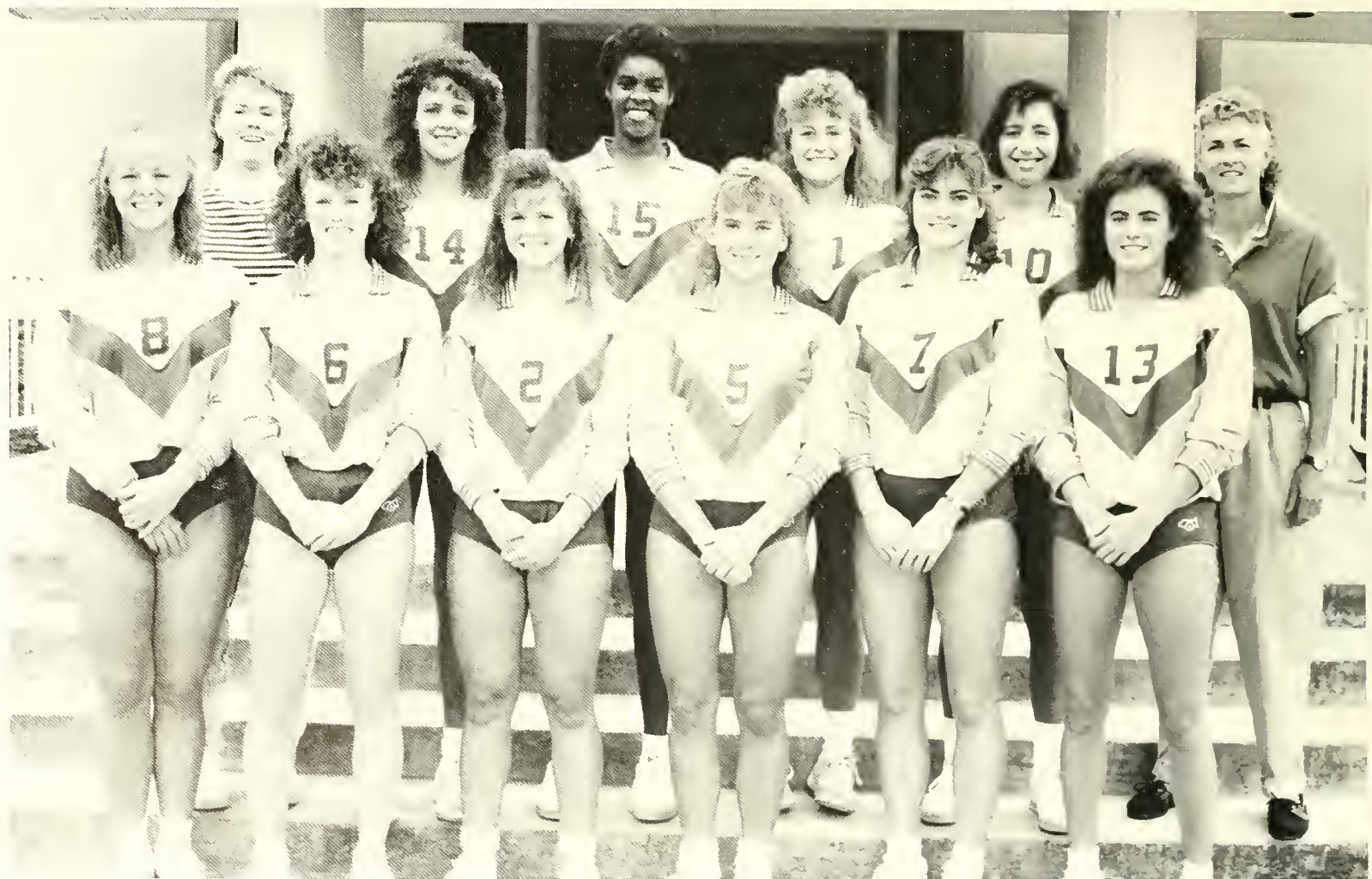
The Lady Cats were after their sixth Southern Conference title in Johnson City, TN, on November 12, when they were defeated by the Lady Bucs of East Tennessee State University. The cats won the first two games 16-14 and 15-11 before the Bucaneers rebounded and took the next three games 15-10, 16-14 and 15-12. The Cats' Regina Brown and Jackie Chage were named to the All-Tournament team.

The team ended the season with an outstanding record — one that any team, especially this one, could be proud of.

(right) Look guys, one hand!

(below) The Women's Volleyball team.

(opposite page) Regina Brown spikes the ball to the other team.









# "Stability" the key for Men's Basketball

The "new beginning" was also the theme for the 1989-90 basketball season. Last April, after a controversial season, Coach Possinger resigned and Greg Blatt was named head coach. Blatt, the fourth head coach of the Catamount basketball team in four years, came to Western after having posted impressive records at Presbyterian College.

"Stability is the key to rebuilding the program," said Blatt after reviewing the five-season losing record. Coach Blatt did not foresee an immediate rise to the top of the Southern Conference. "It will take time to rebuild. First, we must rebuild respect and we will do that by doing things the right way," stated Blatt at the onset of the season.

The word "teamwork" was a major part of Blatt's vocabulary this past season and its importance was evident in the WCU vs. Appalachian game where the Cats fought back from an eleven point difference to almost win. But Coach Blatt stressed that winning the Southern Conference was not his immediate goal that instead, "the primary goal at WCU is to create, in the Ramsey Regional Activity Center, a very enthusiastic and fun atmosphere so that the students will love to come to the games, which brings the homecourt advantage."

The team started with only five returning players and four newcomers. But, with the leadership of Myron Lewis and the shooting ability of Donerlson, Gray and Miller, the team had high hopes.

The season didn't turn out as planned, with the team having a 3-10 finish, but the foundation for a strong, confident team in the upcoming season was set.

David Donerlson makes the big shot.



Terry Miller makes a fast break.



Cornelius Miller rebounds the ball.

JB Barham goes for the rebound.



WCU Men's Basketball team members, coaches and assistants.



# Women's Basketball Had Tough Schedule

As coach Tony Baldwin entered the season he felt very confident. He had an experienced returning backcourt, solid recruiting, and a raw inside that was very willing to learn. Even with the confidence, Coach Baldwin knew that he had the toughest schedule in the conference ahead of him and his team.

"As long as you can keep their confidence up and make sure they realize that they are playing at their best, it could pay off at conference tournament time." Coach Baldwin stated early in the season.

The confidence of the Lady Cats never failed, even at the end, as they finished with a 0-8 record in conference play and 8-16 overall record.



Girls wait for the ball to come in.

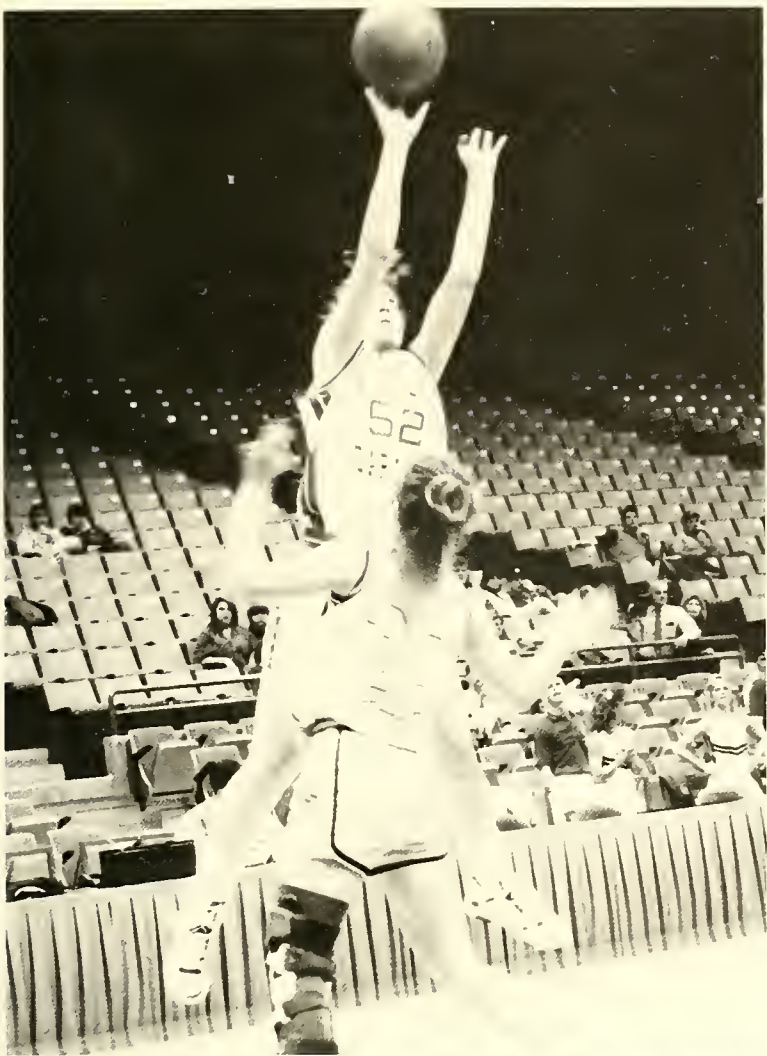


Charlene Penland sets up for a shot.

Amy McIntyre works under pressure.







Charlene Penland makes a jump shot against Appalachian



Laura Vannoy passes the ball.



The Lady Catamounts, coaches and assistants.







# WCU Baseball

## A "Western" Tradition

The quest for a sixth straight conference championship went unfulfilled in the 1990 season. Jack Leggett and his seven-year tenure produced abundant success on and off the field as the baseball players reaped athletic and academic honors at a rate that brought unparalleled attention to the program. The accolades also benefitted the program financially as Ronnie G. Childress, the baseball home for the last 12 seasons, underwent a face lift with a new 1,000 seat stadium, a new bluegrass sod infield, and a new scoreboard. The bulk of the improvements were paid for from private sources.

The Cats spent most of the season working to regain their pride. In late February, the team showed a 7-6 record, losing

three of four games to North Carolina State. By that time, key players were Grant Brittian, with a .447 batting average, Mark Poarch (.333 avg.), Kevin Bellomo (.300 avg.) and freshman designated hitter Mike Hilton, with a .333 batting average.

By early March, the Catamounts hit a slight slump. Spring Break gave the team a three-game loss in the season opening Southern Conference series against Citadel. At this time the team was 11-15, and for the first time since joining the Southern Conference, the Cats were at the bottom of the pile. For head coach, Jack Leggett, it was the first time his team was swept in a conference series since Davidson stopped his team in 1986. One week later, Western Carolina sat third in the Southern Conference with a 15-16 record overall and a 3-3 record in the Southern Conference. After losing to Providence 7-5, WCU went on a three-

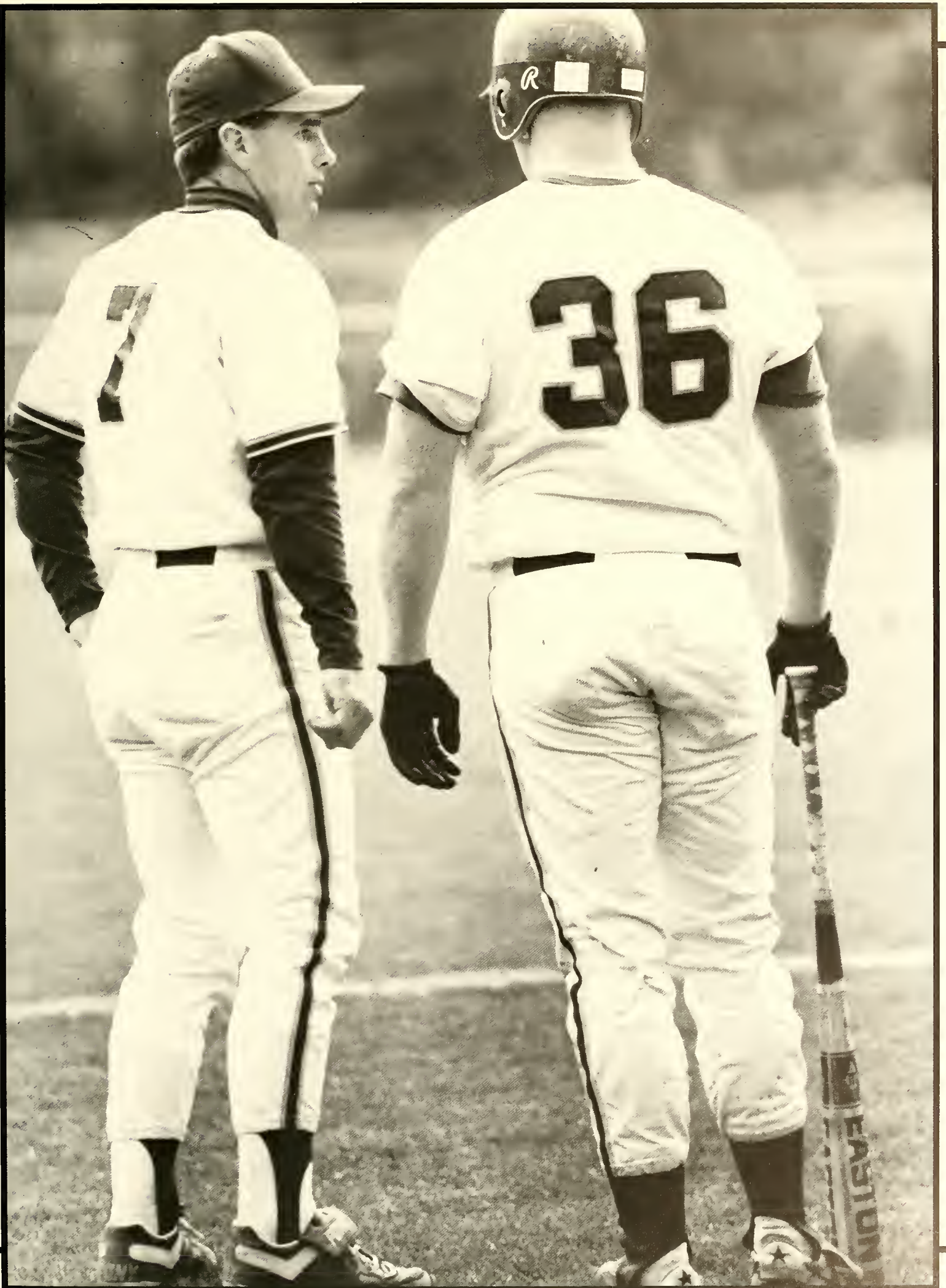
game slaughter, sweeping ETSU in three straight games 12-1, 5-0, and 11-4. WCU made conference news with the announcement of Brittian as player of the week. WCU players Brittian, Poarch and Bellomo made the ranks of the top ten conference scorers, being 5th, 6th and 10th respectively. Later, the Catamounts raised their record to 17-16 by defeating Piedmont and UNC-Asheville. - SIOffice and Fred Mason















# Cheerleaders



(above) Tammy Cavan and Michelle Croak give it their best at Midnight Madness.

(top right) The Varsity cheerleaders pump up the spirit of the crowd before the introduction of the Basketball team.

(right) The pyramids of Western.

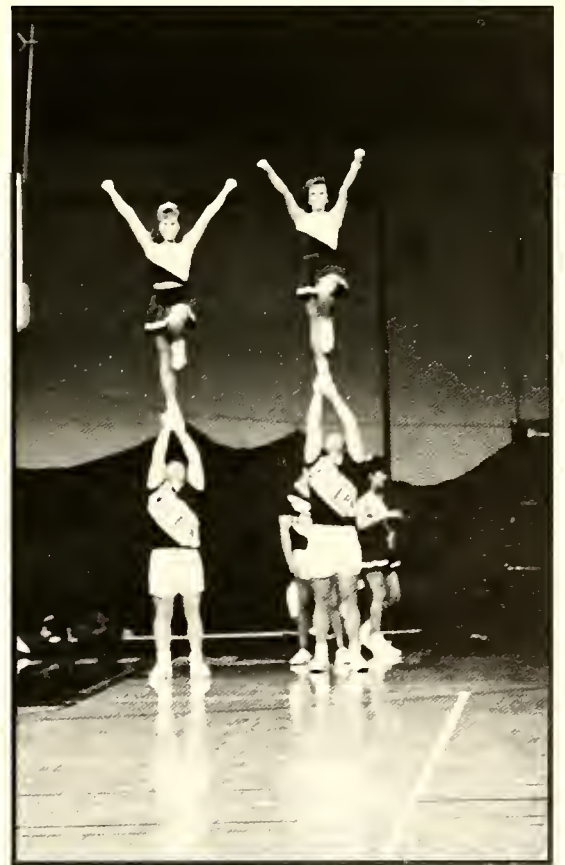






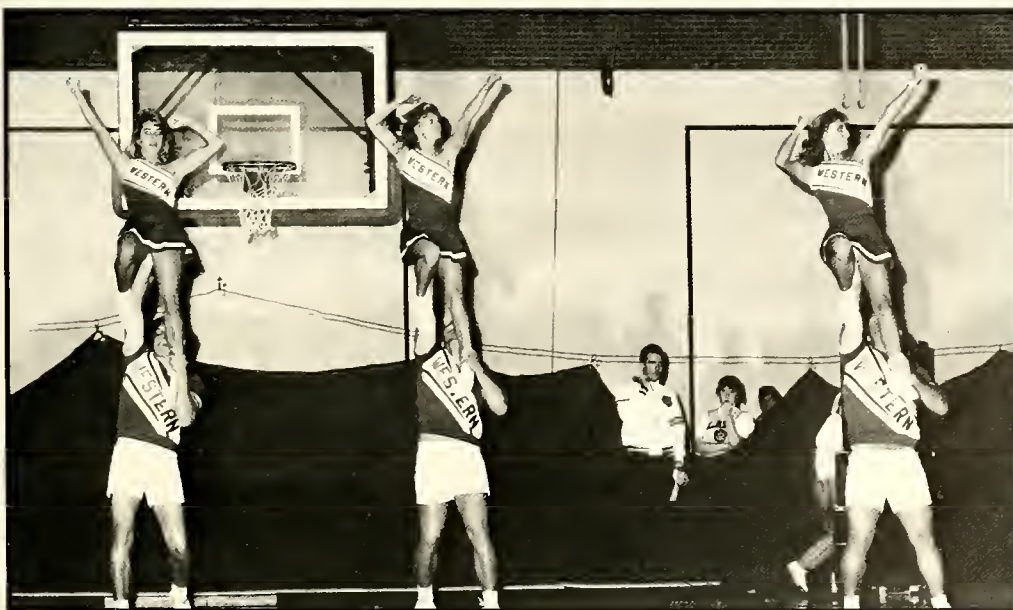
(left) The smiles of encouragement were a true boost to the team when things got down.

(below left) The squad shows their support for the Catamounts by participating in the homecoming parade.



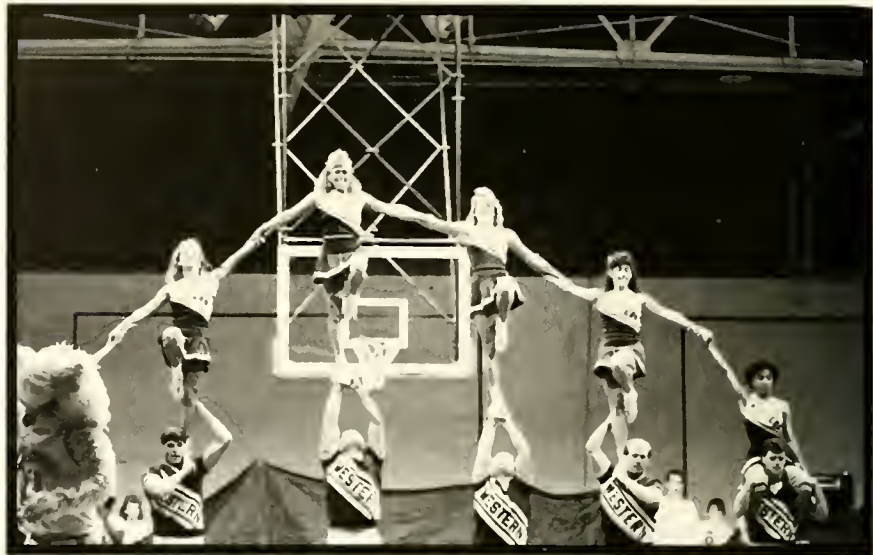
(above) Don't look down!

(left) The chair lift was a partner stunt performed often by the Varsity squad.





# The Varsity Squad



## Cheerleaders





# The Junior Varsity Squad





# INTRAMURALS

Provide students organized leisure activities

The Intramural sports program offered at Western Carolina is a division of the Health, Physical Education, and Recreation Department. According to Mike Creason, the director of Intramurals, "These activities/sports provide students, faculty and staff with an opportunity to participate in organized and structured leisure activities. A wide variety of sport activities are offered to both men and women. Team and individual sports provide individuals with the chance to improve his or her skills. There are also co-recreational activities that males and females can participate in. Intramurals provide an environment that encourages sportsmanship, leadership, fosters loyalty, and gives everyone a chance to interact socially."







MOST OUTSTANDING SORORITY  
UNIT MANAGER 1989-90  
Catrina Cramer  
Phi Mu



MOST OUTSTANDING AMERICAN LEAGUE  
UNIT MANAGER 1989-90  
Eric Moser  
"Street Survivor"



MVP BENCH PRESS CHAMPION  
170 LBS. AND UNDER 1990  
BENCHED 300 LBS. 85% OF BODY WEIGHT  
Ed Rieger



MOST OUTSTANDING FEMALE  
INTRAMURAL ASSISTANT 1989-90  
Jennifer Castain



ALL CAMPUS SWIM CHAMPION 1989  
50 yd. FREESTYLE 24.5  
Del Foster  
Sigma Phi Epsilon



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
3-ON-3 BASKETBALL  
Bobby Pearson, Stan Hall, Brent Sadler and  
Del Foster  
Sigma Phi Epsilon



# INTRAMURALS



NATIONAL LEAGUE 1989  
TAG FOOTBALL CO CHAMPION  
"Hooterville Express"



AMERICAN LEAGUE 1989  
TAG FOOTBALL RUNNER-UP  
"Street Survivors"



RED LEAGUE 1989  
TAG FOOTBALL CHAMPION  
"Boys of Poise"



YELLOW LEAGUE 1989  
TAG FOOTBALL RUNNER-UP  
"Penthouse Pets"



ALL CAMPUS FLOOPBALL CHAMPION  
& GOLD LEAGUE CHAMPION 1989  
"Brew Crew"



SORORITY LEAGUE 1989  
FLOOPBALL CHAMPION  
Sigma Kappa



# INTRAMURALS



INTERNATIONAL, AMERICAN  
AND NATIONAL LEAGUE  
Softball All Stars 1989



SOFTBALL ALL STARS  
INDEPENDENT LEAGUE 1989



SOFTBALL ALL STARS  
FRATERNITY LEAGUE 1989



SOFTBALL ALL STARS  
SORORITY LEAGUE 1989



SOFTBALL ALL STARS  
INDEPENDENT LEAGUE 1989



ALL CAMPUS SOFTBALL CHAMPION  
AND GREEN LEAGUE CHAMPION 1989  
"Young Guns"





ALL CAMPUS INDEPENDENT CHAMPION 1989  
2 MILE CROSS COUNTRY RUN  
Jill Hair, "Lil' Devils"



ALL CAMPUS SORORITY CHAMPION 1989  
2 MILE CROSS COUNTRY RUN  
Suzanne Graham, Sigma Kappa



ALL CAMPUS CO-CHAMPION  
SOFTBALL SKILLS 1989  
Mat O'Brien, Delta Sigma Phi



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1989  
TAG FOOTBALL PENTATHLON  
Brent Sadler, Sigma Phi Epsilon



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1989  
FLOOPBALL PENTATHLON  
Diana Denny, "Ambassadors of Leisure"



ALL CAMPUS BOWLING CHAMPION 1989  
Tommy Strahan





ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
ARM WRESTLING 1989  
206-225 lbs.  
Derek Clary



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
ARM WRESTLING 1989  
226 lbs. and over  
Derek Specht



ALL CAMPUS INDIVIDUAL CHAMPION 1989  
2 MILE CROSS COUNTRY RUN  
Mike Beam, "The Smyths"



ALL CAMPUS TEAM CHAMPION 1989  
2 MILE CROSS COUNTRY RUN  
Mike Beam, Alan Sorrels, Tim Rose  
"The Smyths"



ALL CAMPUS TEAM CHAMPION 1989  
2 MILE CROSS COUNTRY RUN  
Amy O'Rourke, Angie Rigdon, Dianna Denny  
"The Ambassadors of Leisure"

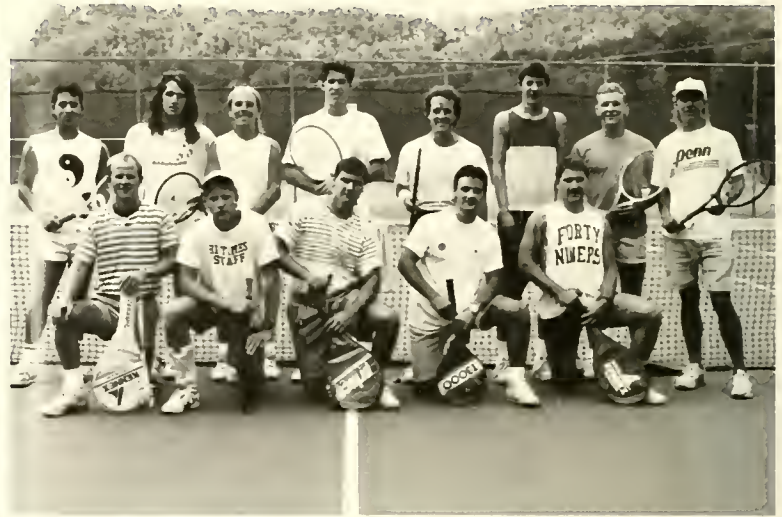


ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1989  
4-WALL RACQUETBALL "DOUBLES"  
Brian McCarty, David Duncan  
Lambda Chi Alpha





LEAGUE CHAMPIONS 1989  
TABLE TENNIS  
SINGLES AND DOUBLES



TENNIS SINGLES & DOUBLES  
CHAMPION 1989



INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE 1989  
SOFTBALL TRI-CHAMPION  
Sigma Phi Epsilon "B"



ALL CAMPUS TAG FOOTBALL CHAMPION  
AND FRATERNITY LEAGUE CHAMPION 1989  
Sigma Phi Epsilon



FRATERNITY LEAGUE 1989  
TAG FOOTBALL RUNNER-UP  
Theta Xi



GREEN LEAGUE 1989  
TAG FOOTBALL RUNNER-UP  
"Social Outcasts"





ALL CAMPUS CO-CHAMPION  
SOFTBALL SKILLS 1989  
Burt Howard, "Young Guns"



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
TENNIS SINGLES 1989  
Steve Dominick, "Physical Force"



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1989  
INDEPENDENT TENNIS SINGLES  
Sharon Cash



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1989  
SORORITY TENNIS SINGLES  
Catrina Cramer, Phi Mu



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
BADMINTON SINGLES 1989  
Greg Dominick, "Physical Force"



ALL CAMPUS 1989  
INDEPENDENT BADMINTON SINGLES  
Diana Denny



# INTRAMURALS



All Campus Champion 1990  
& American League

ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
AND AMERICAN LEAGUE  
BASKETBALL CHAMPION  
"Bad Company"



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990

ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
3-on-3 BASKETBALL  
Diana Denny, Angie Rigdon, Heather Phillips and Michelle Wagner  
"Ambassadors of Leisure"



All Campus Champion  
Basketball 1990

ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
BASKETBALL 1990  
PURPLE LEAGUE CHAMPION  
"Brew Crew"



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1989  
COED 2-on-2 BASKETBALL  
Billy Brown, Allyssa Carmen, Marlena Surret and Tony Martin  
"Bad Company"



All Campus Champion  
Coed Volleyball 1989  
Cherry League Champion

ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
COED VOLLEYBALL 1989  
CHERRY LEAGUE CHAMPION  
"Sideout"



ALL CAMPUS 1990  
VOLLEYBALL CHAMPION  
"Ambassadors of Leisure"



# INTRAMURALS



SWIM MEET CHAMPION  
SORORITY LEAGUE 1989  
Alpha Xi Delta



SWIM MEET CHAMPION  
INDEPENDENT LEAGUE 1989  
"Ambassadors of Leisure"



SWIM MEET CHAMPION  
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE 1989  
Sigma Phi Epsilon "B"



SWIM MEET CHAMPION  
NATIONAL LEAGUE 1989  
"Physical Force"



SWIM MEET CO-CHAMPION  
AMERICAN LEAGUE 1989  
"Bad Company"



SWIM MEET CO-CHAMPION  
AMERICAN LEAGUE 1989  
"Street Survivors"



# INTRAMURALS



SWIM MEET CHAMPION  
FRATERNITY LEAGUE 1989  
Sigma Phi Epsilon



NEW SORORITY RECORD  
TRACK & FIELD 1990, SOFTBALL RELAY 6.1  
Jill Fulkerson, Michelle Burgess, Susan Harris and Estrella Acosta  
Alpha Chi Omega



SORORITY LEAGUE 1990  
TRACK & FIELD CHAMPION  
Alpha Chi Omega



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
TRACK & FIELD 1990, 440 yd. Relay 59.2  
Amy McIntire, Laura Vannoy, Jill Hair and Roxie Williams  
"The ABC's"



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
AND WATERMELON LEAGUE CHAMPION  
COED SOFTBALL  
"Braves"



MOST OUTSTANDING TEAM  
SPORTSWOMANSHIP 1989-90  
"Ambassadors of Leisure"



# INTRAMURALS



AMERICAN LEAGUE 1989-90  
ALL YEAR CO-CHAMPION  
"Street Survivors"



INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE 1989-90  
ALL YEAR CHAMPION  
Sigma Phi Epsilon "B"



SORORITY LEAGUE 1989-90  
ALL YEAR CHAMPION  
Phi Mu



Fraternity League 1989-90  
All Year Champion  
Sigma Phi Epsilon

FRATERNITY LEAGUE  
ALL YEAR CHAMPION  
Sigma Phi Epsilon



INDEPENDENT LEAGUE 1989-90  
ALL YEAR CHAMPION  
"Ambassadors of Leisure"





ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
TRACK AND FIELD 1990  
50 yd. Dash, 7.2  
Michelle Burgess, Alpha Chi Omega



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
TRACK AND FIELD 1990  
MILE RUN, 6:46  
Jill Hair, "ABC's"



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
TRACK AND FIELD 1990  
FRISBEE DISTANCE 146'8"  
Estrella Acosta, Alpha Chi Omega



ALL CAMPUS CO-CHAMPION  
TRACK AND FIELD 1990  
RUNNING LONG JUMP, 12'7"  
Susan Harris, Alpha Chi Omega



ALL CAMPUS CO-CHAMPION  
TRACK AND FIELD 1990  
RUNNING LONG JUMP, 12'7"  
Kim Donahue, Phi Mu



NEW NATIONAL LEAGUE 1990  
TRACK AND FIELD RECORD  
FRISBEE DISTANCE, 219'8"  
Steve Dominick, "Physical Force"





ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
TRACK AND FIELD 1990  
100 yd. DASH, 12.2  
Susan Harris, Alpha Chi Omega



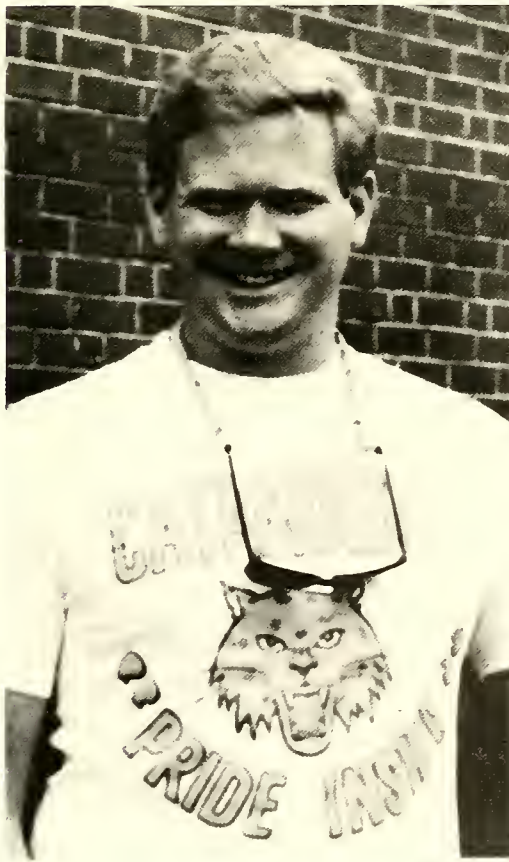
ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
TRACK AND FIELD 1990  
SOFTBALL RELAY, 5.4  
"Ambassadors of Leisure"



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
TRACK AND FIELD 1990  
HIGH JUMP, 5'9"  
Dean Epley, "Physical Force"



NEW SORORITY RECORD  
TRACK AND FIELD 1990  
FRISBEE ACCURACY, 1'5"  
Kristin Pehlke, Alpha Chi Omega



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
TRACK AND FIELD 1990  
FRISBEE DISTANCE, 246'8"  
Rusty Prince, Sigma Phi Epsilon



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
TRAP SHOOTING 1990  
23 of 25 ATTEMPTS  
Jeff Towers





ALL Campus Champion 1990  
Basketball Freethrows

ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
BASKETBALL FREETHROWS  
Scott Hill and Tim Curtis  
"Top Guns"



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
1-on-1 BASKETBALL  
SORORITY 5'6" AND UNDER  
Amy Hagar, Zeta Tau Alpha



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
1-on-1 BASKETBALL  
INDEPENDENT 5'6" AND UNDER  
Diana Denny, "Ambassadors of Leisure"



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
CO-ED BASKETBALL FREETHROWS  
Julie Bennett and Matt Kern



Campus Champion 1990  
Basketball Freethrows  
Dameron & Cameron Burleson

ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
BASKETBALL FREETHROWS  
Scott Dameron and Cameron Burleson  
"Physical Force"



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
4-WALL RACQUETBALL  
INDEPENDENT SINGLES  
Julie Olsen





ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
4-WALL RACQUETBALL SINGLES  
David Duncan  
Lambda Chi Alpha



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION  
SORORITY 1990  
4-WALL RACQUETBALL SINGLES  
Paula Pereira, Alpha Xi Delta



FISHING DERBY CHAMPION  
BROWN TROUT 16½"  
John Truitt



FISHING DERBY CHAMPION  
LARGE MOUTH BASS 17¼"  
BREAM 7¾"  
Joel Poston



FISHING DERBY CHAMPION  
RAINBOW TROUT 17¼"  
James Stokely



ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
SORORITY POCKET BILLIARDS  
Courtney Harris  
Sigma Kappa





ALL CAMPUS CHAMPION 1990  
INDEPENDENT POCKET BILLIARDS  
Laura Lambert  
ROTC



ALL CAMPUS SWIM CHAMPION 1989  
50 yd. BACKSTROKE 31.0  
Rusty Prince  
Sigma Phi Epsilon



ALL CAMPUS SWIM CHAMPION 1989  
25 yd. BUTTERFLY, 11.7  
Aaron Brewer  
"Physical Force"



ALL CAMPUS SWIM CHAMPION 1989  
50 yd. INNER TUBE RELAY, 40.9  
Reiger and Maynard  
Theta Xi



MOST OUTSTANDING FEMALE  
INTRAMURAL SPORTS OFFICIAL  
1989-90  
Denise McIntosh



MOST OUTSTANDING MALE  
INTRAMURAL SPORTS OFFICIAL  
1989-90  
Steve Baker

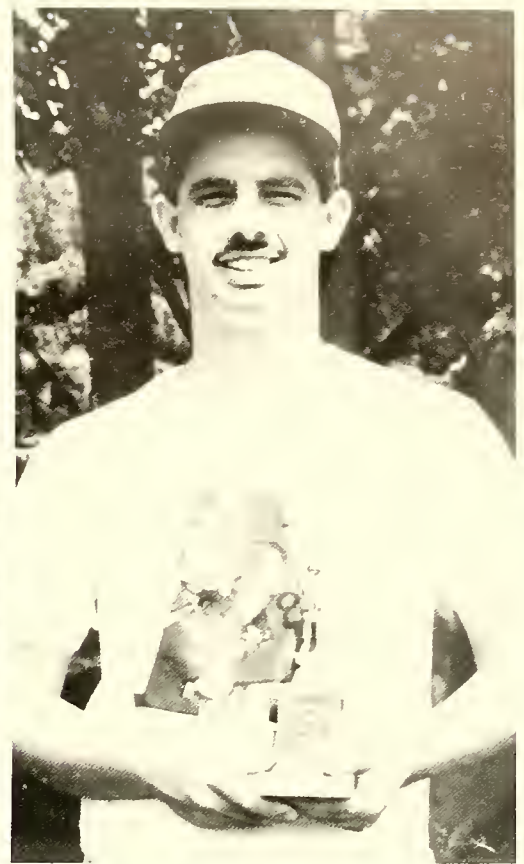




MOST OUTSTANDING INDEPENDENT  
LEAGUE  
UNIT MANAGER 1989-90  
Diana Denny  
"Ambassadors of Leisure"



MOST OUTSTANDING NATIONAL LEAGUE  
UNIT MANAGER 1989-90  
Steve Dominick  
"Physical Force"



MOST OUTSTANDING MALE  
INTRAMURAL ASSISTANT  
1989-90  
Chris Bowman



MVP OUTSTANDING INTRAMURAL  
INDEPENDENT ATHLETE 1989-90  
Steve Dominick  
"Physical Force"



MVP OUTSTANDING INTRAMURAL  
INDEPENDENT ATHLETE 1989-90  
Diana Denny  
"Ambassadors of Leisure"



MVP OUTSTANDING INTRAMURAL  
SORORITY ATHLETE 1989-90  
Catrina Cramer  
Phi Mu





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# From Coach to University Chancellor

## A Profile of Dr. Myron Coulter

Five years ago, Myron Coulter took the job of Chancellor at Western Carolina University. He brought with him a wealth of experience in the fields of administration and education.

Coulter has served as Chancellor of WCU since 1984. Prior to coming to Western, Coulter was President of Idaho State University for eight years. From 1974 to 1976, Coulter served as Vice President of Administration and Professor of Education at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo.

Coulter began his career in administration and instruction as an English teacher and athletics coach at the Reading Community High School in Reading, Michigan. He later taught elementary school in Bloomington, Indiana, and went on to become an instructor in Education at Indiana State University.

Coulter earned his Bachelor of Science degree in English, Physical Education and Secondary Science Education at Indiana State Teachers College in Terre Haute in 1951. He then earned his Masters of Science degree in Elementary Education at Indiana University in 1956. Three years later, Coulter earned his Educational Doctorate in Elementary Education at Indiana University.

Coulter has a long list of professional affiliations. He is a member of the National Society of the Study of Education, the International Reading Association, Phi Delta Kappa fraternity, Omicron Delta Kappa, Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, and Beta Gamma Sigma fraternity. Coulter was also head of the 1988 delegation to Kunming and Bangkok, where he worked on exchange and training programs.

Coulter, now age sixty, compares his job to that of the Mayor of a city. He plays a part in every facet of the operation of WCU. "Basically," Coulter says, "anything that involves this school calls for my involvement."

In five years, Coulter has seen many changes, including "a growth in the quality and types of academics. I am proud of the fact that all of the instructors on this campus are showing excellent leadership qualities."

Coulter is also proud of the fact that WCU is known world-wide. "Due to the expansion of the International Program, our influence reaches fifty countries in five continents. The vast research that takes place on this campus by the faculty makes Western one of the most comprehensive institutions in the University system."

Coulter has many civic affiliations. He is a member of the Cherokee Historical Association, as well as the Board of Trustees of C.J. Harris Community Hospital. He is on the Board of Directors of WCQS Public Radio, and serves on the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce. Coulter's hobbies include horseback riding, hunting, fishing, golfing, wood-working and reading.

He has received many awards, including the President's Medallion of ISU (1978), the Distinguished Alumnus Award of ISU (1975), and nine Who's Who in America Awards (1977, 1980-87).

Chancellor Coulter and his wife Barbara make their home at 10 Chancellor's Drive, on the WCU campus. The Coulter's children, Nan and Benjamin, are twins born in 1961.

Coulter sums up his attitude toward WCU in four words: "I'm very happy here."

— Jon Mayhew



Dr. Coulter presented the 1989 Mountain Heritage Award to Ms. Mary Cornwell.



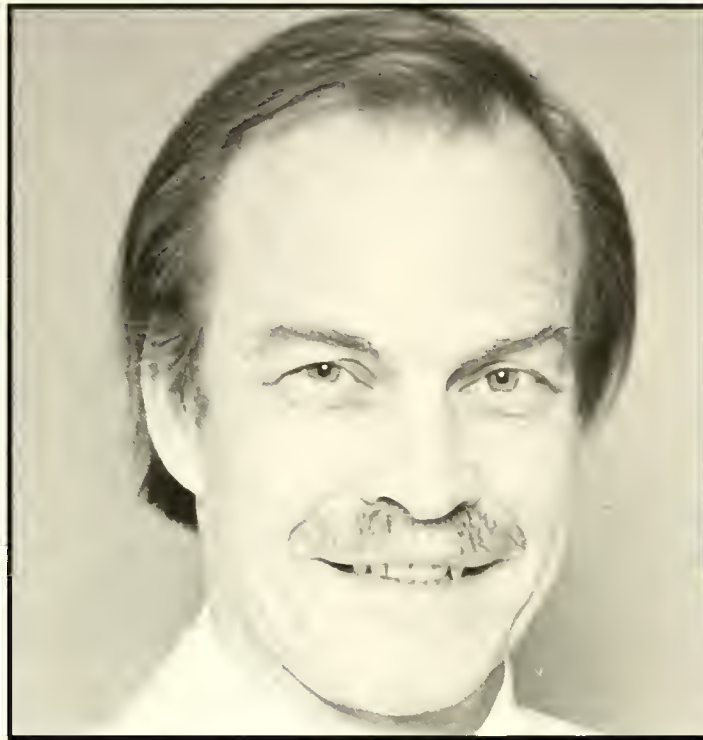


(top) Dr. Coulter takes a moment from his busy day to relax.

(above) A meeting of the Board of Trustees demands all the attention from Dr. Coulter.



# Vice Chancellor ACADEMIC AFFAIRS



## Dr. John H. Wakeley

Dr. Wakeley received his A.B. in 1954 from the College of Wooster. In 1962, he received his Master of Science from North Carolina State University in Raleigh. Later, he received his Doctorate from Michigan State University in 1961.



# Vice Chancellor BUSINESS AFFAIRS



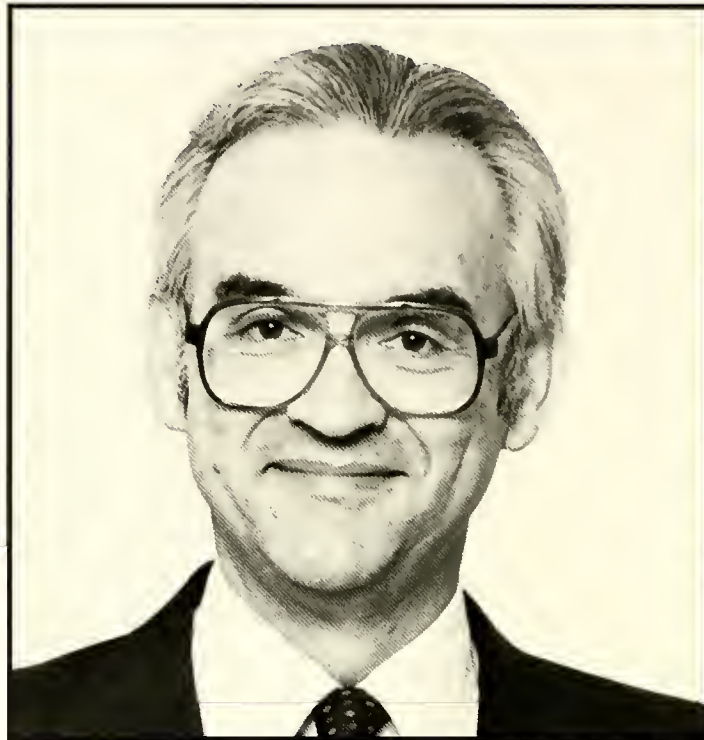
## Dr. C.J. Carter

Dr. Carter received his A.B. from Wofford College in 1960. He later received both his Master of Arts and Doctorate from Florida State University in 1967 and 1971 respectively. This year marks Dr. Carter's twelfth year at Western Carolina. As Vice Chancellor of Business Affairs,

Dr. Carter and his office are responsible for a variety of funding activities. The offices directly under his control are responsible for receiving and distributing funds to departments, organizations and individuals.



# Vice Chancellor SPECIAL SERVICES



## Dr. James Dooley

Dr. Dooley received his B.M. from the University of Chattanooga in 1952. In 1955, he received his M.M.E. from North Texas State University. Later, in 1963, he received his Doctorate from Florida State University. He has been with Western Carolina University since 1969.



## Vice Chancellor STUDENT DEVELOPMENT



### Dr. Glenn Stillion

Dr. Stillion received his Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts degrees at the University of Mexico in 1960 and 1961 respectively. Later, he received his Doctorate at Florida State University in 1968. He came to work at Western Carolina University in 1973. As Vice Chancellor of Student Development, Dr. Stillion is directly responsible for Student Government, the *Western Carolinian*, the *Catamount*, and Last Minute Productions, as well as many other student activities. The office of Student Development also handles other events such as Mountain Heritage Day, Parent's Day and Orientation.



# SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES



(left) Dean Cliff Lovin

The role of the School of Arts and Sciences is to serve as a community of scholarship involving students and faculty in a broad range of intellectual and aesthetic activities. The most significant of these activities is the teaching/learning process that takes place between students and faculty in the classrooms, laboratories, studios, and field locations. The school provides a varied curriculum in the fine arts, humanities, and sciences. The faculty engage in research, creative activities, and publications. Students are often directly involved in these scholarly activities, which enhance the reputation of the school and university in the broader academic world.

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# SCHOOL OF BUSINESS



(right) Dean John F. McCreary

The ultimate goal of the School of Business is the development of responsible people, and the primary objective is to provide a forum for examining the principles, needs and issues which encompass the world of business. Western Carolina University's School of business is among only two hundred institutions in the United States whose excellence in graduate and undergraduate education is recognized through full accreditation by the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business.

## Accounting and Information Systems

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Francis Webster  
Jay Wysocki  
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# SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND PSYCHOLOGY



(left) Dean Gurney Chambers

The School of Education and Psychology seeks to prepare professional personnel for the school and colleges of the state and region and for other educational and service agencies. It coordinates all teacher education curricula at the university and provides services to individuals, schools, and regional educational and professional agencies. It undertakes continuous evaluation to assure curricula and professional services of high quality and coordinates the screening, selection and counseling of students pursuing programs of study in the school. Admission and retention policies in teacher education programs are based on standards and guidelines of the State of North Carolina and the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education. Approved institutions must have established procedures for implementing decisions regarding admission to, and retention in, teacher education programs.

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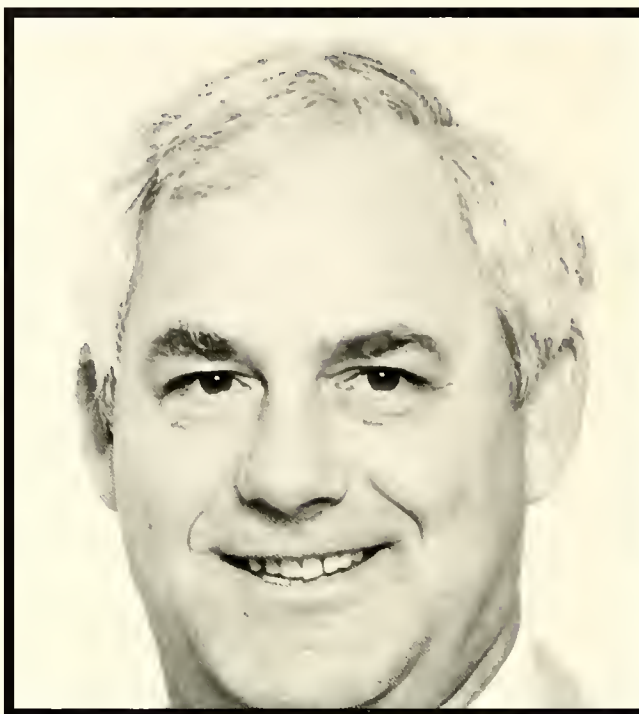
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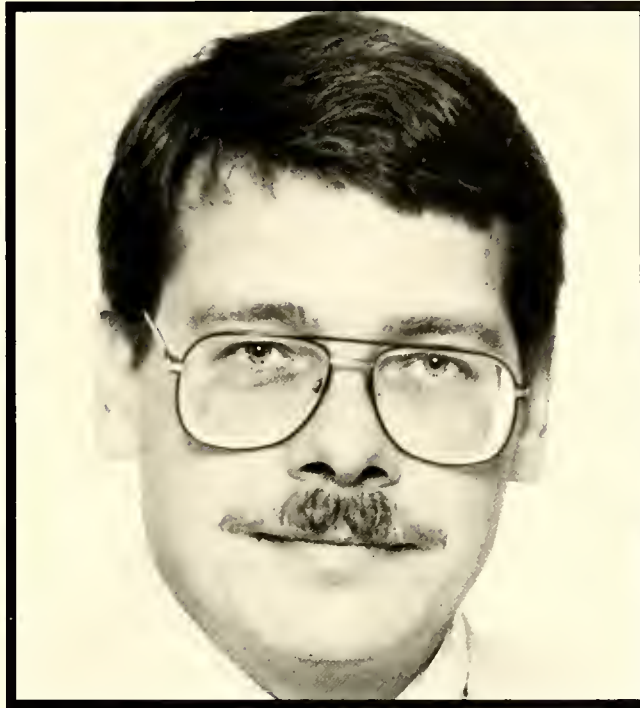
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## Master of Science

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Chemistry  
Communication Disorders  
Home Economics  
Human Resource Development

## Master of Arts in Education

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# Alpha Chi Omega

Sisters Strive for Excellence and receive "Sorority of the Year" Award

Excellence in scholarship, community service, rush and individual achievements all combined to boost Alpha Chi Omega to the top and obtain them the honor of "Sorority of the Year". In the area of community service, the girls made several trips to the Broyhill home for girls and to the Hawthorne Heights home. The sisters also participated in the March of Dimes Walk-America fundraiser, held in April in downtown Sylva. Grades were obviously an important aspect to the sorority for they obtained the highest sorority QPR for the third consecutive semester, with several sisters receiving 4.0's. Several sisters and pledges were active on campus participating in SGA, Mortar Board, Order of Omega, chorus, yearbook and other activities. Traci Shuford represented A-Chi-O on the Homecoming court and made all of her sisters proud as she was named Homecoming Queen. Andrea Oakes was named WCU's Outstanding Female of the Year and Laura Cathey received the highest honor in the Greek system when she was chosen "Greek Woman of the Year".



(above) Andrea Oakes, Traci Shuford and Jennifer Hoover are all smiles during Fall Rush.

(top right) Laura Cathey, Michelle Teman and Beth Gantt work the booth, making funnel cakes, during Spring Fling.

(above right) Jeff Fullwood prepares to celebrate at the unveiling of the Alpha Chi Omega "Men of WCU" calendar at the Electric Warehouse.

(right) The Fall 1989 pledge class.







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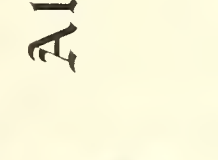
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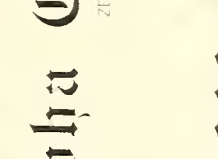
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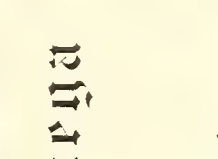
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NOT PICTURED: SUSAN POOLE, TAMARA MUNDAY

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# Alpha Kappa Alpha, inc.



Alpha Kappa Alpha was founded on January 18, 1908, at Howard University in Washington, D.C.

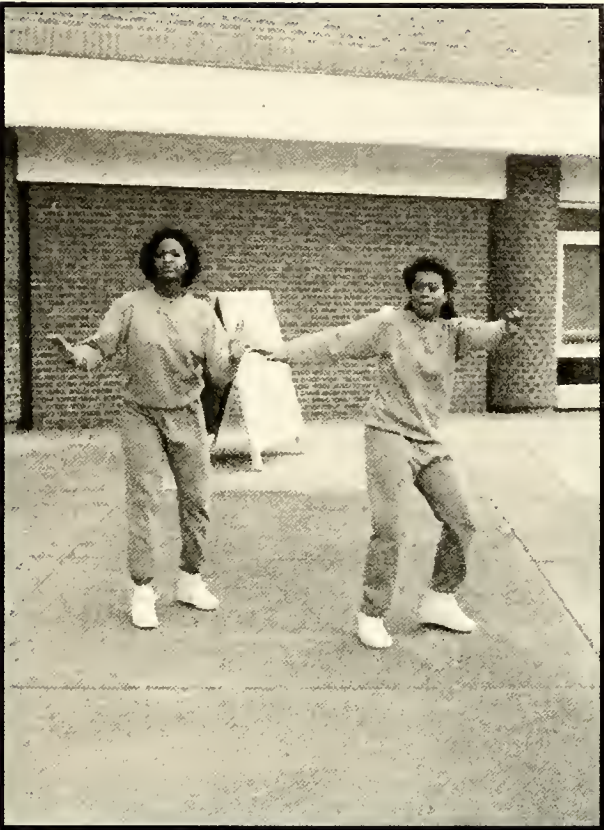
The ladies of Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority, inc., strive on high ethics and academic standards. The ladies also do various service projects within the community such as holding clothes drives, can-good drives, helping the American Red Cross with the blood bank, tutoring, etc.

The Kappa Alpha chapter at Western is small in number, however these ladies uphold Alpha Kappa Alpha by being of service to all mankind.



# AKA, inc.







# ALPHA XI DELTA



(above) Alpha Xi Delta sisters and pledges and Sigma Nu Fraternity ride on their float during Homecoming.

(top) Sisters and pledges gather for a group shot.

(right) An Alpha Xi Delta/Delta Sigma Phi mixer.

(below right) Greek Week 1990 brought sisters together to compete, party and have fun.







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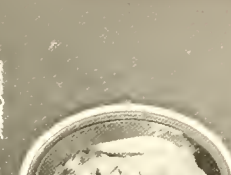
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# Alpha Xi Delta

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# Delta Sigma Theta



(l-r) Alisa Danner, Laura Carver, Cecile Cameron, Theresa Ford, Romona Williams, Jacqueline Grant, Sharon D. Beard, Simara P. Hunter, Renee Thompson.







# DELTA ZETA



(above) At Delta Zeta Province Day in Charlotte.

(top right) Racing to the top of the pyramid during Greek Week.

(top left) Riding on the float during the Homecoming Parade.

(right) Greek Week 1990.







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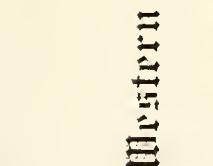
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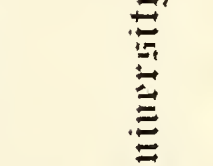
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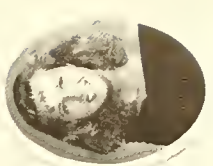
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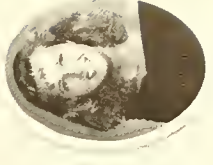
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# Delta Zeta

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# PHI MU

Phi Mu sisters gather and celebrate at the annual Carnation Ball.

Molly Gaffney and Debbie Marshall exemplify the meaning of friendship and sisterhood.

Debbie Marshall, a sister of Phi Mu, rides in the homecoming parade as a member of the homecoming court and a representative of Sigma Phi Epsilon.







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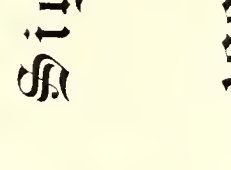
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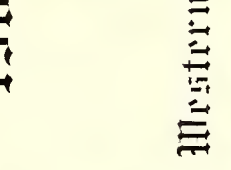
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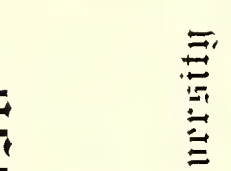
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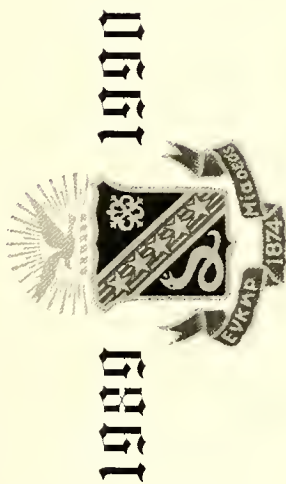
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# Zeta Tau Alpha Fraternity

## Chapter Receives Award from Nationals

1989-90 proved to be an excellent year for the chapter. The chapter received, from their nationals, the highest award that can be obtained — the "Crown Development Choice Award". Throughout the year, sisters and pledges worked hard in all areas of development. The pledges received the highest grades and the entire chapter worked together to win the week-long Greek Week competition. Community service was high on the list of activities with the chapter participating in several activities including saving tops of cans for donation for dialysis machine treatment, newspaper and magazine drives and assisting the American Red Cross on campus visits. Besides these services, the chapter also maintained the responsibility of an adopted highway, and working for the Association of Retarded Citizens, their national philanthropy.

(bottom left) Partying together at the annual banquet was a favorite part of the year.

(bottom right) The members of Zeta Tau Alpha gather for a group candid.

(lower left) Entertainment at the Variety Show — Zeta Style!

(below) Big Sister/Little Sister relationships are a great part of sisterhood.







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Greeks gather to celebrate . . .

## Greek Week 1990

March 26 through March 31 was celebrated by Greeks all over Western. The annual Greek Week, sponsored and organized by the Interfraternity Council, included activities from dinner to a little friendly competition.

The talent show, held in the Ramsey center, showcased the singing and other musical talents of members from each sorority and fraternity. "Variety" was definitely a description of the Variety show held the next night. Skits performed by the individual groups were both entertaining and comical.

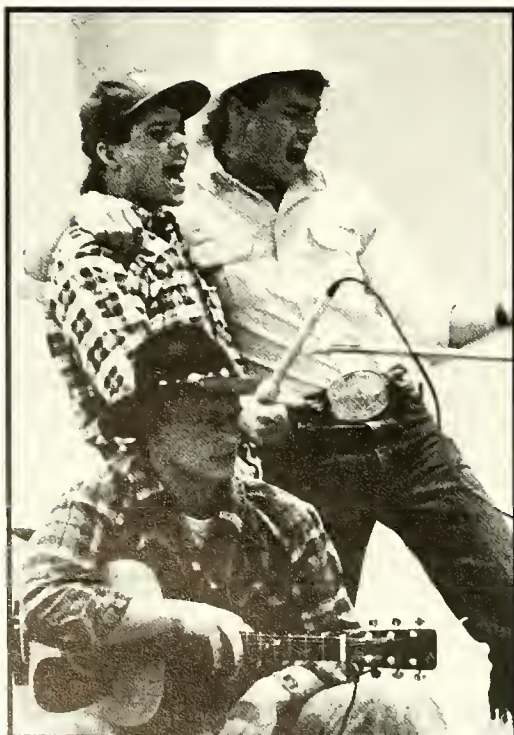
The Pig Pickin', held at the Theta Xi house was a huge success, despite the rain. And later on that evening the first annual "Greased Pig" competition entertained the crowd and proved that it will be a continued event in the future.

The end of the week came on Saturday when everyone congregated at the Pi Lambda Phi house for the Greek games. This day, filled with hysterical events such as the three-legged race, dizzy bat, tug-of-war, baby bottle and the pyramid, turned out to be fun-filled and exciting for all Greeks.

Phi Mu sisters entertain the crowd at the Variety show.

Greeks attended the annual "Greek Games" in large numbers.

The brothers of Sigma Chi Alpha get into their skit at the Varsity show.





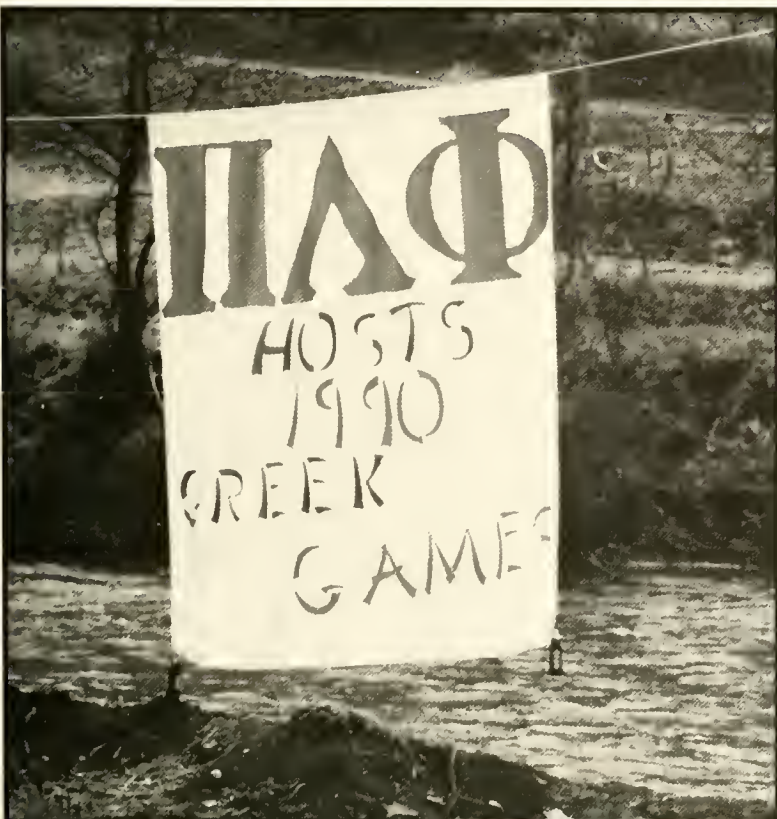


Matt and Vance do their best to beat the rest in the three-legged race.

The Greased Pig competition was amusing to everyone.

Dinner at the Theta Xi house — the annual Pig Roast provided Greeks the chance for some relaxed fellowship.

Pi Lambda Phi Fraternity were the gracious hosts of the final day of a long week — Greek Games





pie-eating, greasy pigs, sucking from a bottle and other . . .

## Activities different and exciting



(top left) Tara Smith, of Alpha Chi Omega, chows down hard in the pie-eating contest.

(top right) standing behind the scenes — viewing the action of Greek games.

(right) Alpha Chi Omega pledges and sisters bust a move in the pyramid-building event.

(above) The purpose of Greek Week — a time to enjoy being together and competing in a friendly manner.









# Sigma Chi Alpha Derby Days



(top left) Dan Danieleley flaunts his "pretty boy" image.

(top right) Tension mounts as the Derby Queen nominees await the announcement of the winner.

(above) Sigma Kappa shows off their prize winning banner

(right) These Sigma Chi's really get into dress up day.





Dennis Pressley demonstrates how to play "dizzy bat."



## ... First year on campus

Derby Days started in 1933 at the University of California. The Derby, as we know it today, was first presented at the University of Tennessee. "Derby Day" is now reputed to be the most widespread social event in the fraternity world.

The first annual Sigma Chi Alpha Derby Days was held October 4-7. A penny pitch was held and Becky Macon, of Alpha Chi Omega sorority, was chosen as the Derby Queen. Delta Zeta won the sig dress up and the Derby games competition. Sigma Kappa was the winner of the banner competition. The skit competition and the derby chase were both won by Alpha Chi Omega. Delta Zeta was the winner of the week-long competition and Alpha Chi raised the most money. More than \$3,000 was raised and given to R.E.A.C.H. of Jackson county.



Phi Mu's get into the spirit of Derby games.

Becky Macon, a representative of Alpha Chi, struts her stuff as the first Derby Queen.







Every year the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity sponsors a raft race to raise money to support a specific charity. The race consists of various fraternities and sororities, plus independent teams, that build their own rafts, and float on them down the Tuckaseegee River. It is a two-and-a-half mile race that begins at East Laporet and ends at the Lambda Chi dock. The winners were Zeta Tau Alpha sorority and Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity. After the race, refreshments were served and games were played by the race participants. The event has proven to be successful and an enjoyable time for everyone.

Over \$400 was raised to support the fight against Leukemia.



Theta Xi's work toward the finish line.

TKE's get excited as they reach the homestretch to victory.





The KA's show off that rowdy Southern Style

The sisters of Zeta Tau Alpha paddle their way down the Tuckasegee.



These independents participate in the raft race also.



# Delta Sigma Phi



## Delta Omicron among "Top 10"

The past year was quite exciting for the Delta Omicron chapter of Delta Sigma Phi Fraternity. The fraternity celebrated its 30th anniversary by having the largest homecoming Delta Omicron had ever had. Close to two hundred alumni returned to be with brothers and celebrate the past thirty years. The chapter pledge of \$1000 to the Alumni Tower Fund was the only Greek social organization pledge that was fulfilled before the deadline. The alumni of Delta Sigma Phi contributed close to \$30,000 to the Tower, making the fraternity one of the largest contributors of the project. Delta Sig

brothers kept active within the community by participating in a program in conjunction with Camp Lab School. Once each week, brothers visited and played with the children after school while the students waited for their parents. Cleaning up the highway and keeping it free from trash was a priority of the group as they worked hard for their adopted highway. Over the years, the Delta Omicron chapter has received many awards from the National office including the "Pyramid of Excellence" award, which placed the chapter among the top ten in the country.







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# Kappa Alpha Order



## Southern

## Gentlemen

Kappa Alpha Order was founded in 1865 at Washington College by four men, where the spirited founder, Robert E. Lee, was President. Today, Kappa Alpha has over 120 chapters all across the south and west. The Southern Heritage for which KA is renowned as "Southern Gentlemen" is well exemplified to the rest of the fraternity world. The brothers strive to live each day by their principles of personal honor, love of God and respect for women. The Delta Alpha chapter has several annual events including Old South weekend, KA Classic softball tournament and a softball marathon to benefit Muscular Dystrophy. The chapter celebrated their 25 year tradition of brotherhood at Western in 1989-90.





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PATTON



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LEN MARTIN



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JAMES BROOKS



RODNEY PROVOST



ANDY ALLMAN



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JOHN CORNETT



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THOMAS SECORE



SHAWN SPEER



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# Kappa Alpha Order

DELTA ALPHA CHAPTER

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# LAMBDA CHI ALPHA



(above) Lauri Norman and Kevin Andrews at the Lambda Chi Bonfire Party Spring '90.

(right) Wayne Brackett, John McBirney and Kevin Andrews get together at a party.

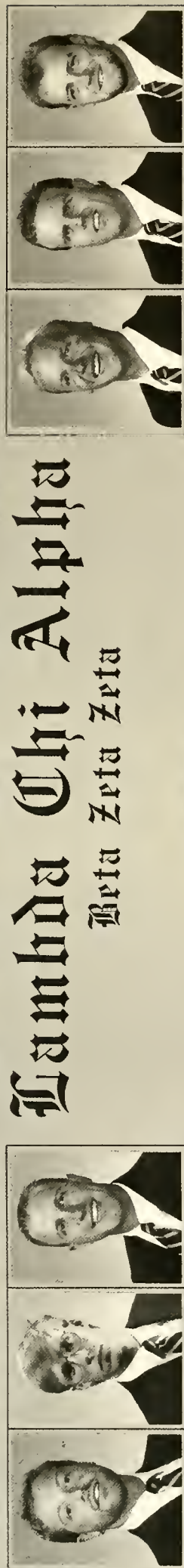
(below right) The Lambda Chi Alpha — Beta Zeta little sister inductions at the Riverhouse Restaurant.







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CHRIS REECE HIGH EPSILON  
MATTHEW HARNAD HIGH DELTA  
MICHAEL PARKER HIGH TAU  
GIBBS JONES HIGH BETA  
DOUGLAS WINDLEY HIGH ALPHA  
CHRIS JACKSON HIGH GAMMA  
DAVID MITCHELL HIGH KAPPA  
ROBERT KNOWLES HIGH PI  
RICK HILL HIGH SIGMA  
JOSEPH HOOKER HOUSE MANAGER



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# Lambda Chi Alpha

## Beta Zeta Zeta



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# PI KAPPA PHI







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Brad Crain



David Dawson



John Day



David Duckworth



Terry Green



Brian Hall

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G W Hendrix



Jeff Hill



Jim Hubbard



Eddie Johnson



Matt Kohr



Tony Lancaster



Alex Leatherwood



Six Minutes  
Mascot



Shawn Leatherwood



Mike Lienau



Bill McCall



Cliff Meeks



Chuck Miles



Josh Nickol



Aaron Penland



Shane Pruitt



Rick Smith



Barry Stroup



David Thomason



Randy Wallace



Jon Ward



Paul Welton



Robert Willis



# PI LAMBDA PHI



(above) Good times, good friends and good cheer!



(top) Brothers/Buddies through the good, bad and crazy times.

(above right) Just Hangin' Out!



(right) Pi Lam hosted the 1990 Greek Games. A brother takes a whirl with the keg.





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A. S. R.



LARRY DOVE  
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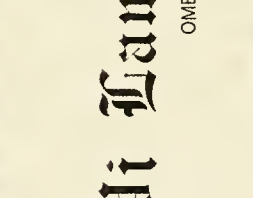
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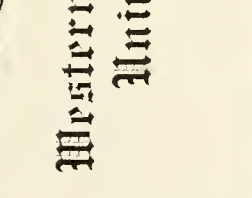
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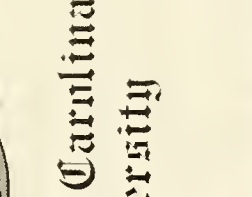
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THOMAS SKEELS



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GLENN TURNER

# Hi Lambda Phi OMEGA ZETA



## Western Carolina University



# Sigma Chi Alpha



## Accomplishments Abundant

Success and hard work were common to the brotherhood of Sigma Chi Alpha as they continued working towards their goal of receiving their charter. Besides the annual Sigma Chi Haunted House and Step Show, the group kicked-off an event that will definitely become a yearly tradition at Western. October 4-7, Derby Days arrived to Western's campus and included a very busy week full of activities such as Derby Queen contest, a derby chase, skit competition and a Sig Dress-up. The end of the week came to a close with the Derby Games and the announcement of the winner. The event raised over \$3,000 for R.E.A.C.H. of Jackson County and promised to become a favorite activity in the future. Besides all of this, the brothers worked hard during Greek Week and came out the "Greek Week Champions" for 1990 and also boasted the honor of being the only Greek organization on campus to become a member of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce.



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DANIEL SPHINETA IV

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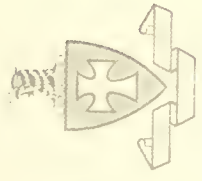
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BETTY BELTON

TAMMY HELMS

# Sigma Chi Alpha

## A Petitioning Local of Sigma Chi



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# Sigma Nu

The Kappa Phi chapter of Sigma Nu at Western is a very young, but ambitious and hard working organization. Dedication to community service, academics and campus leadership paid off this year when the chapter received first runner-up in the "Fraternity of the Year" award. Some of the activities that went into that achievement included: contributing \$1000 to the Alumni Tower Fund, collecting over \$500 for the March of Dimes, visiting the Mt. Trace Nursing

Home, driving the van for the Council on Aging once each week and having the highest grades for three straight semesters. Many individual brothers were active in other campus leadership positions. Brent Taylor served as president of both the student body and IFC. Mike Wilmoth presided over the Chemistry club and Jeff Reece ended his term as the national president of Sigma Theta Alpha.



Ken Lowman experiences "being high without drugs" in the "Dizzy Bat" game during Greek Week.



Active members and Alumni gather for a group picture during a pre-Homcoming party.

The March of Dimes benefited from a can-shake in Waynesville held by the brothers and sweethearts.







LARRY ASHWORTH  
TREASURER-SPRING 1993



JONATHAN QLSON  
LT. COMMANDER-SPRING 1993



THOMAS DALTON  
TREASURER-ALL 1992-SPRING 1994



JEFFERY JORDAN  
RECORDS-SPRING 1993-FALL 1993



MICHAEL WILMOTH  
COMMANDER-SPRING & FALL 1993



EVAN GABRIEL  
LT. COMMANDER-FALL 1992-SPRING 1993



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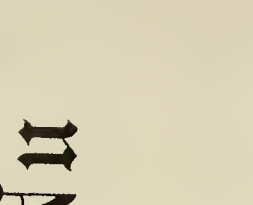
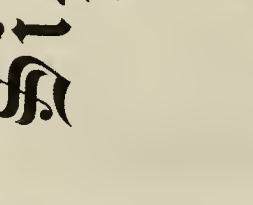
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COMMANDER-SPRING 1993



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JONATHAN QLSON



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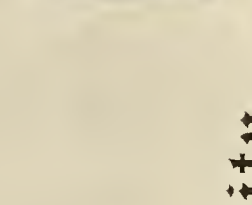
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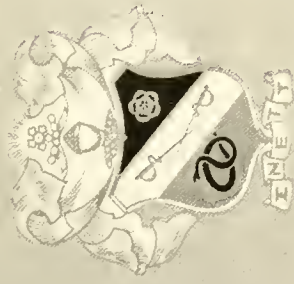


ERIC VESS



WADE WIMMER

# Sigma Nu Kappa Phi



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Brothers strive towards goal of "fraternity of the year"

## Sigma Phi Epsilon

The brothers of Sigma Phi Epsilon, North Carolina Pi chapter, pride themselves on their numerous community service projects and charitable donations. With over 1000 participants, the Second Annual Mud-Volleyball Tournament raised \$675 for the Epilepsy Foundation and their first blood drive provided over 400 units of blood for the Red Cross. Academics were also a major concern for the chapter as they did their best to improve their grades, having risen from twelfth to seventh place among greeks in one semester. Campus leadership was a third area of importance and the brothers of Sig Ep held positions as Resident Assistants and various offices in Student Government.







SCOTT RYAN BRETT LAWSON THOMAS BUCHANAN ERIC CARPENTER TIMOTHY NICHOLS JASON BROWN BRENT SAGLER JIMSON FRITZ DAN HARVEY ROBERT HOWARD TODD UNDERHILL DEREK LAWSON TODD JOHNSON



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# TAU KAPPA EPSILON







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PRESIDENT



KENT TRIPLETT  
ASSOCIATE TRAINER



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# Tau Kappa Epsilon Zeta Omicron Chapter Western Carolina University



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JAY CHRISTMAN



ROMAN YOUNG



DAVID SHAFFER



HOWARD PENCE



BRADLEY PICKREL









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# Organizations





# Alpha Epsilon Rho

## The Broadcasting Society



# Alpha Lambda Delta

## Freshmen Honor Society



AERHO and Alpha Lambda Delta



# CATAMOUNT



## The Staff

The 1989-90 Catamount staff: Andrea Oakes, Caryn Imbertson, Christi West, Tamara Munday, Alisa Waerlop, Gail Webb, Jonathan Fondow and Joey Franklin.

## Foundations Implemented

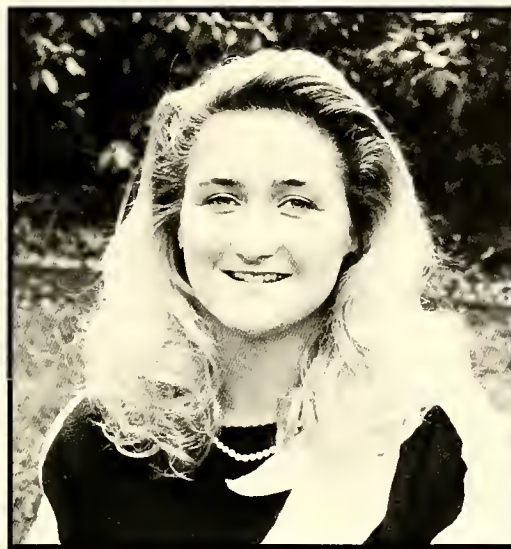
The 1989-90 Catamount yearbook staff did their best to make this a record book, memory book and historical reference for the students, faculty and administration of Western Carolina University and for the citizens of the surrounding community. The staff broke ground on several new projects during

the year including the sale of senior ads to parents, advance sales and working with an ad company outside of the school. Even though the year was a struggle because of the small staff, important foundations for a better yearbook in the future were definitely put in place.





Andrea Oakes, Editor



Christi West, Assistant Editor



Alisa Waerlop



Joey Franklin



Gail Webb



Tamara Munday



Photographer Jonathan Fondow does his best to "kiss up" to the boss.

Trying to "Grin and Bear It", Alisa Waerlop wonders when it will all end.

## Catamount Yearbook





# **Chancellor's Ambassadors**



# InterFraternity Council

The Governing Body of  
Fraternities

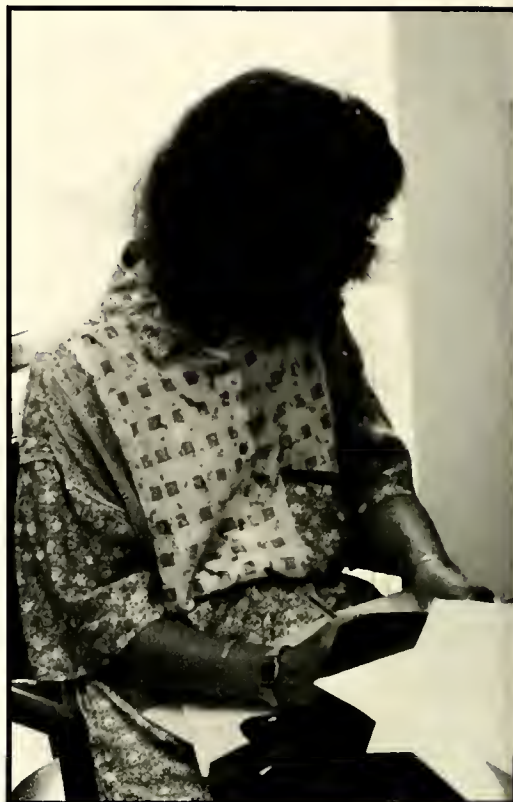


Chancellor's Ambassadors and IFC



# LAST MINUTE PRODUCTIONS

## Student Entertainment Connection









# Student Government Association

When the North Carolina Office of Budget and Management announced that it was going to withhold half a million dollars of Western's budget for the third quarter due to the state-wide budget cuts going into effect to meet a shortage in tax revenue, Student Body President Brent Taylor traveled to Raleigh to meet with Gov. Jim Martin to discuss Western's cut. While there, Taylor also spoke with Martin about the issue of Tuition Defense Initiative. This trip was just one project in many that Taylor and staff could call "successful". During his term in office, a scholarship program, originally started to help pay for the Alumni Tower, was started. This project, the Catamount Gold Card, gave students a 10% discount at local stores, helped the Alumni Tower Fund and will be continued in the future as a scholarship program. During Taylor's campaign, one of his goals was to bring back the Stray Cat Security program. This service, discontinued some years ago, was welcomed back with enthusiasm from students. The escort service, which ran until 12 midnight anywhere on campus was deemed necessary by many students in light

of the recent disclosure of widespread campus violence across the nation. Another project researched by Taylor's office was induced by the finding that Western's athletic teams were last in the Southern Conference in the number of scholarships and travel money. In order to bring the athletic program up to par, an increase in each student's athletic fee was necessary. Student leaders were asked to go out into the campus community and find out if the general consensus of the student body would pay the extra money to help the program, it was overwhelmingly positive and the increase passed the Board of Trustees and the Board of Governors. During the year, Brent Taylor represented the students of Western well at various meetings from the Board of Trustees to UNCASG conferences. The annual convention of Student Services met in Orlando and Taylor was unable to attend but six members of his staff were sent as delegates. These people came home from Florida with many ideas to promote and enhance the service of Student Government.

The President-elect for 1990-91, Andy Lambert, delivers a speech after his inauguration and swearing in by President Brent Taylor.



## Senators Pass Important Resolutions

One of the duties of Vice-President Bob Hamer was running the SGA senate. The senators, elected by the student body, had a responsibility to address concerns of their peers and make changes where necessary. "The senate also oversees a budget of approximately \$100,000," commented Brent Taylor. This money is distributed to several of Western's organizations at the end of the Spring semester, after a new SGA President takes office. Some of the bills that were voted on by the senate included: a bill to place a water fountain at the intramural fields on campus and one to install condom dispensers in dorm lobby bathrooms.







## The Executive Branch

W. Brent Taylor, SGA President  
 Chris Cook, Assistant to the  
 President  
 Chris Jackson, Assistant to the  
 President  
 Andrea Oakes, Executive  
 Secretary



## The Legislative Branch

Michelle Teman, Senate  
 Secretary  
 Tommy Butler, Assistant to the  
 Vice-President  
 Bob Hamer, SGA Vice-President



## Leaders Work Together

SGA President, Brent Taylor and  
 Vice-President, Bob Hamer, often  
 worked together to execute their  
 respective ideas, projects and  
 goals.

# Student Government Association



## Comptroller

Dwayne Smiley, Comptroller  
Shannon Bell, Asst. Comptroller  
The Office of the comptroller was responsible for taking care of the budget and dispersing stipends and money for trips.



## The Judicial Branch

Craig Durham, Public Defender  
Mary Ann Hutchison, Traffic  
Court Director  
Grant Minnex, Asst. Traffic Court  
Director

The Judicial Branch of SGA was responsible for hearing appeals and conducting a fair trial for those students concerned with speeding tickets, parking violations and other violations where towing was involved.

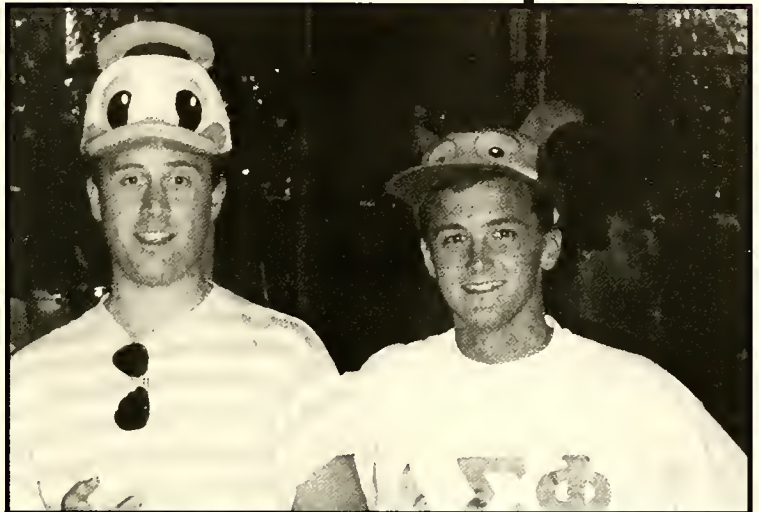
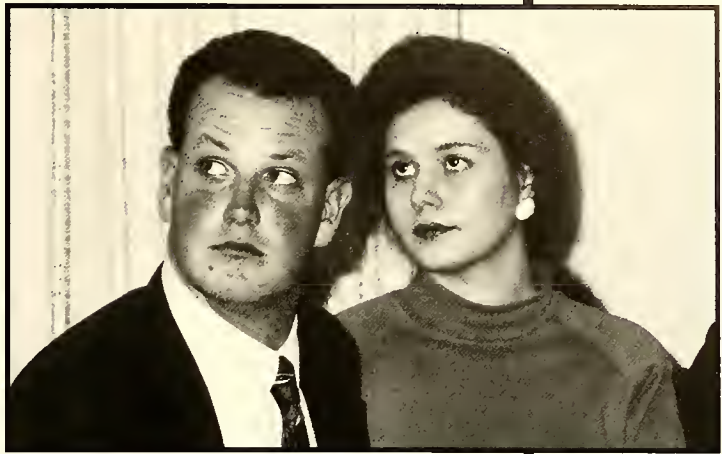


## Office of Public Information

Trey Maxham, Co-Director  
Andy Lambert, Co-Director  
The Public Information office was responsible for printing the Student Directory and the Student Handbook as well as other duties.







(top left) Brent Taylor makes his last speech as Student Government President at the Inauguration of President-Elect Andy Lambert and Vice-President-Elect Chris Kallao.

(top) Andy Lambert and Andrea Oakes, members of Brent Taylor's staff, look on at the farewell speech.

(above) Dwayne Smiley and Chris Cook relax at Disney World after a tough day of workshops at the Student Services convention in Orlando, FL.

(left) The Western Carolina delegates to the Student Services convention. (L-R) Chris Jackson, Chris Cook, Michelle Teman, Andrea Oakes, Dwayne Smiley and Grant Minnix.

## Student Government Association



# The Western Carolinian



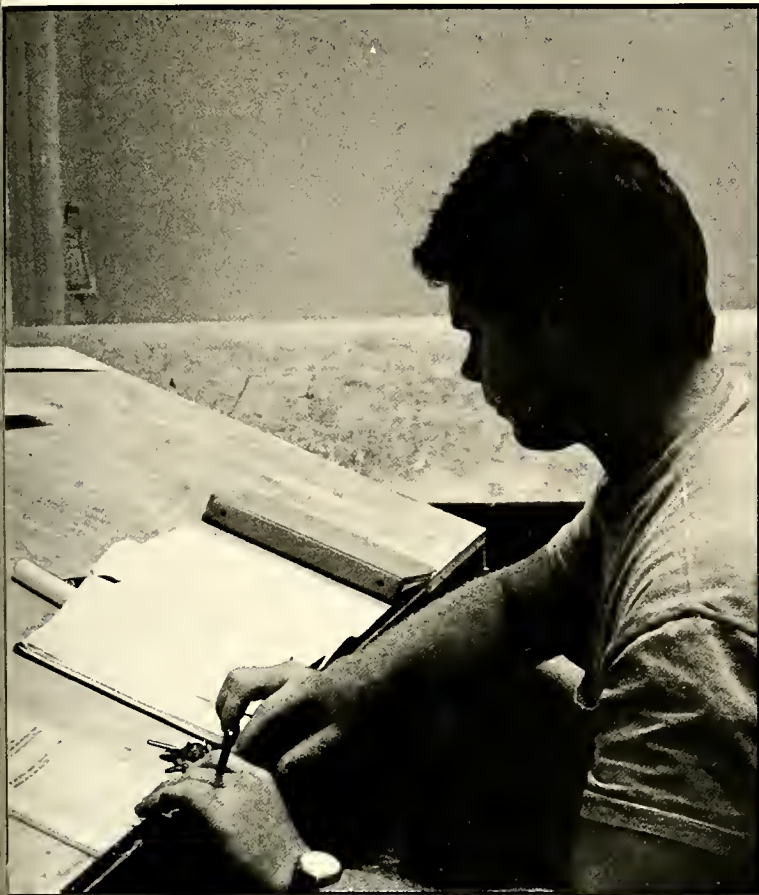
## Student members paid for efforts



The Western Carolinian is an independent student publication that receives its funding via student activity fees and advertising. Published weekly at The Waynesville Mountaineer, the objective of the paper was to provide the most timely and effective newspaper possible for the students, faculty and staff of Western Carolina. The staff of the news-

paper was comprised of roughly 40 students including the editor-in-chief, five associate editors, staff writers, layout and design artists, typesetters, staff photographers and advertising representatives. All of the foregoing jobs were paid positions and the Western Carolinian is the only student newspaper in the UNC system that paid its employees.





A layout and design artist works diligently to prepare the paper for publication.

Christine Faris, editor-in-chief, with some of the associate editors.



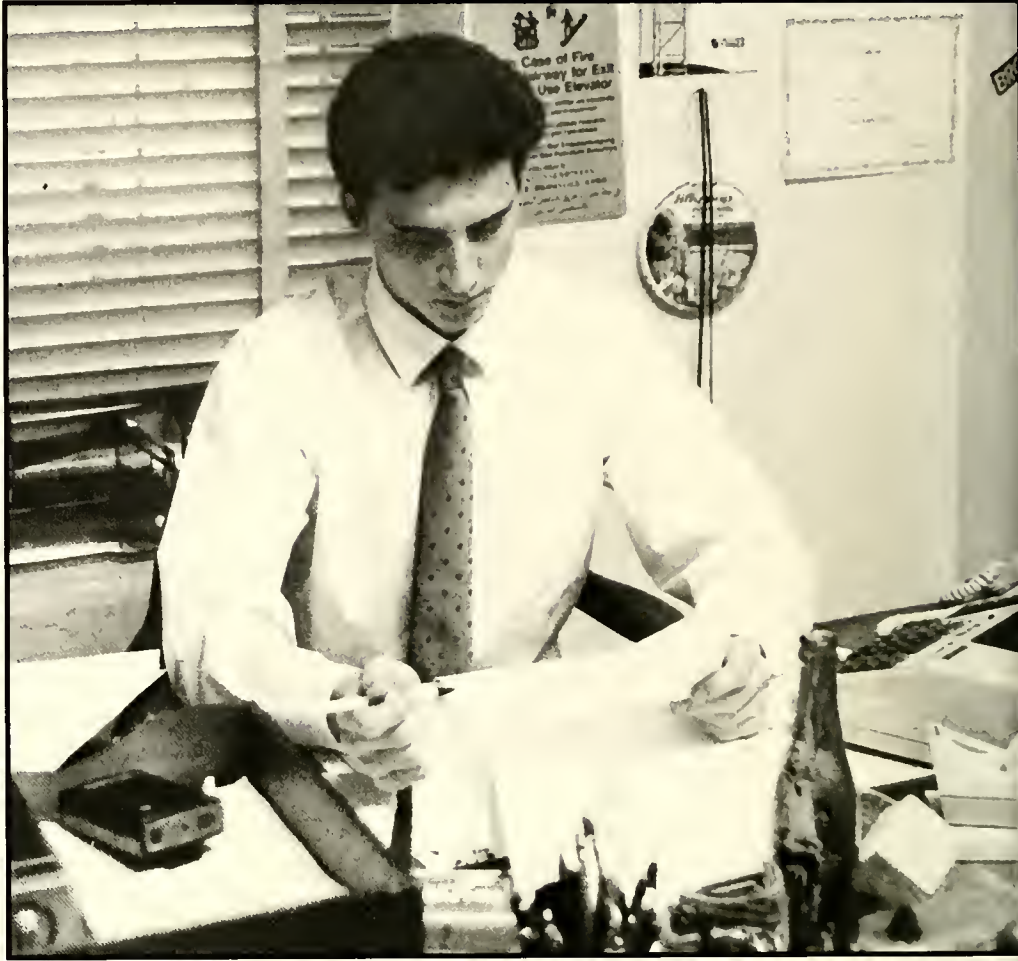
Doug Peasley wrestles with the computer in the typesetting phase of production.

The job of editor-in-chief is not an easy one by the look on Christine's face.

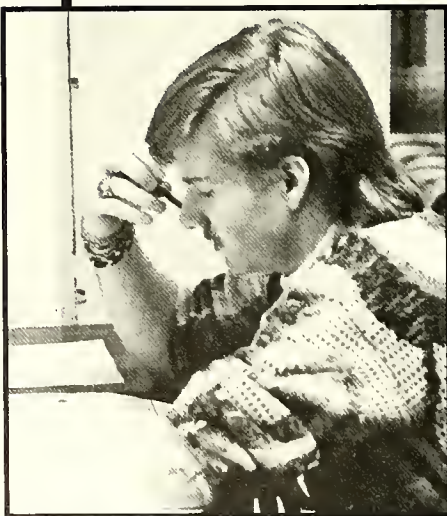
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Criminal Justice

WILLIAM BROWN,  
Winston-Salem, NC  
Marketing

REBEKAH BUTLER,  
Charlotte, NC  
Education



KENDRA CALVERT,  
Old Fort, NC  
Criminal Justice

JEFF CHURCH  
Environmental Health

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Marshville, NC  
Psychology



## SENIORS



Jonathan and Susie smile for a pose.



What exactly are these three up to?



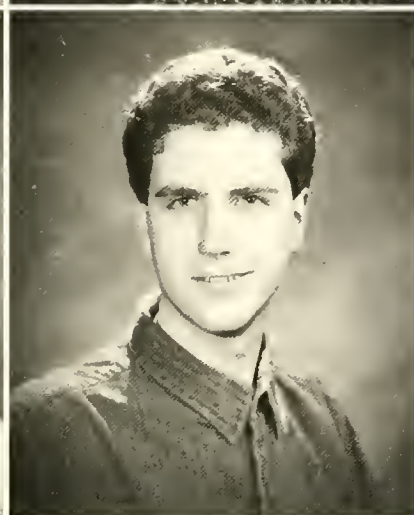


One of the many activities on WCU's campus is taking an evening stroll around the track.

Well now, isn't that special??



ANN MARIE DRAGO,  
Raleigh, NC  
Environmental Health  
JULIA DURHAM, Pickens, SC  
Chemistry  
ANGELA FRANKLIN,  
Rocky Mount, NC  
Child Dev./Family Relations



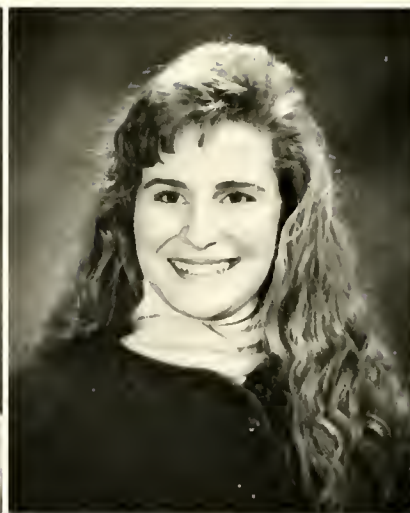
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Office Administration  
FREDRICK GILLESPEE,  
Winston-Salem, NC  
Physical Education  
ROBERT GOFORTH,  
Ferguson, NC  
Anthropology/History



ROBERT G. HAMER III,  
Winston-Salem, NC  
Industrial Distribution

GAIL HARDEGREE, Otto, NC  
Criminal Justice

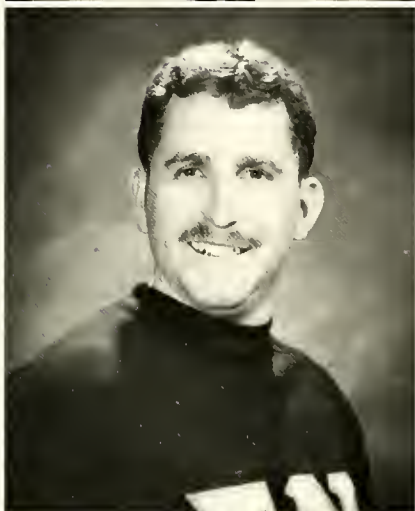
CONSTANCE A. HARDING,  
Culowhee, NC  
Spanish



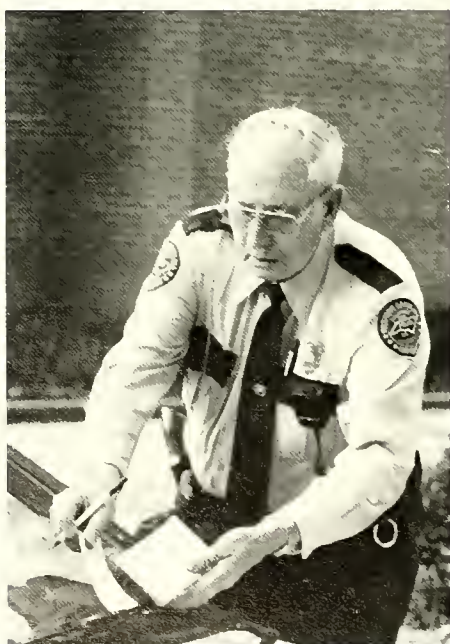
TIM HARRISON, Burnsville, NC  
Business Manager

MARIANNE HOGUE,  
Bryson City, NC  
Graphic Design

DAPHNE L. HOOPER,  
Waynesville, NC  
Intermediate Grade Education



## SENIORS



Someone's hating life right about now!



Must you do that while we are eating?



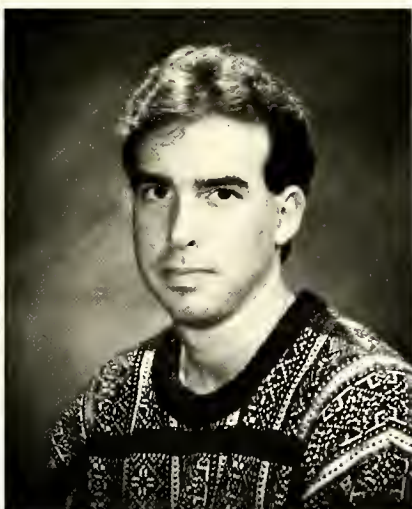


The Teller II machine at Wachovia is a way of life for most students.

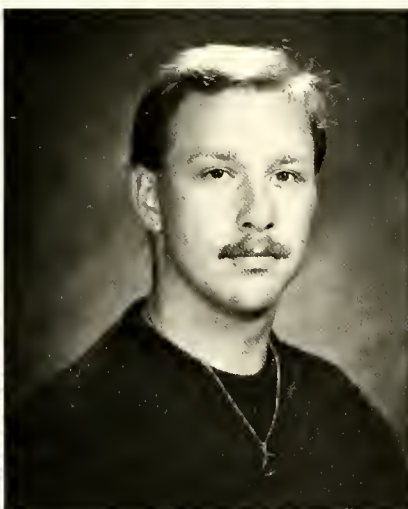
Students show their school spirit by cheering on the Catamounts.



KATHLEEN HUDSON,  
Charlotte, NC  
Radio and Television



CHRIS M. JACKSON,  
Columbia, SC  
Marketing



TODD JOHNSON,  
Fayetteville, NC  
Business Law



STEPHANIE KASTOR  
Early Childhood Education



ROB KING, Winston-Salem, NC  
Accounting



KIRSTEN ANN KURTGIS,  
Cullowhee, NC  
Psychology



DANA LINVILLE, Booneville, NC  
Education

HEATH LITTLE, Winston-Salem,  
NC  
Sports Medicine

MICHAEL LITTLE, Durham, NC  
Biology



LISA LONG, Robbinsville, NC  
Criminal Justice

SUSAN MASON, Canton, NC  
Criminal Justice

THOMAS MEIGS, Cullowhee,  
NC  
Biology



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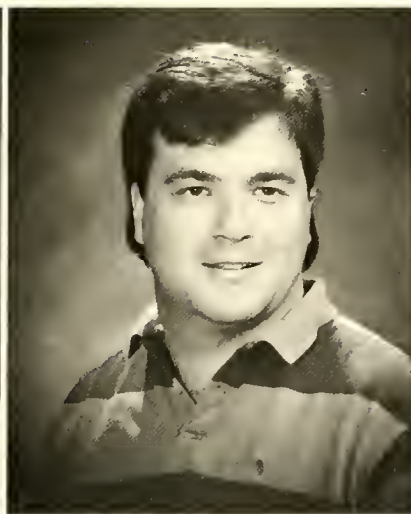


I sure hope Mom doesn't see  
this!

Famous lecturer Joe Clark visits  
Western Carolina.



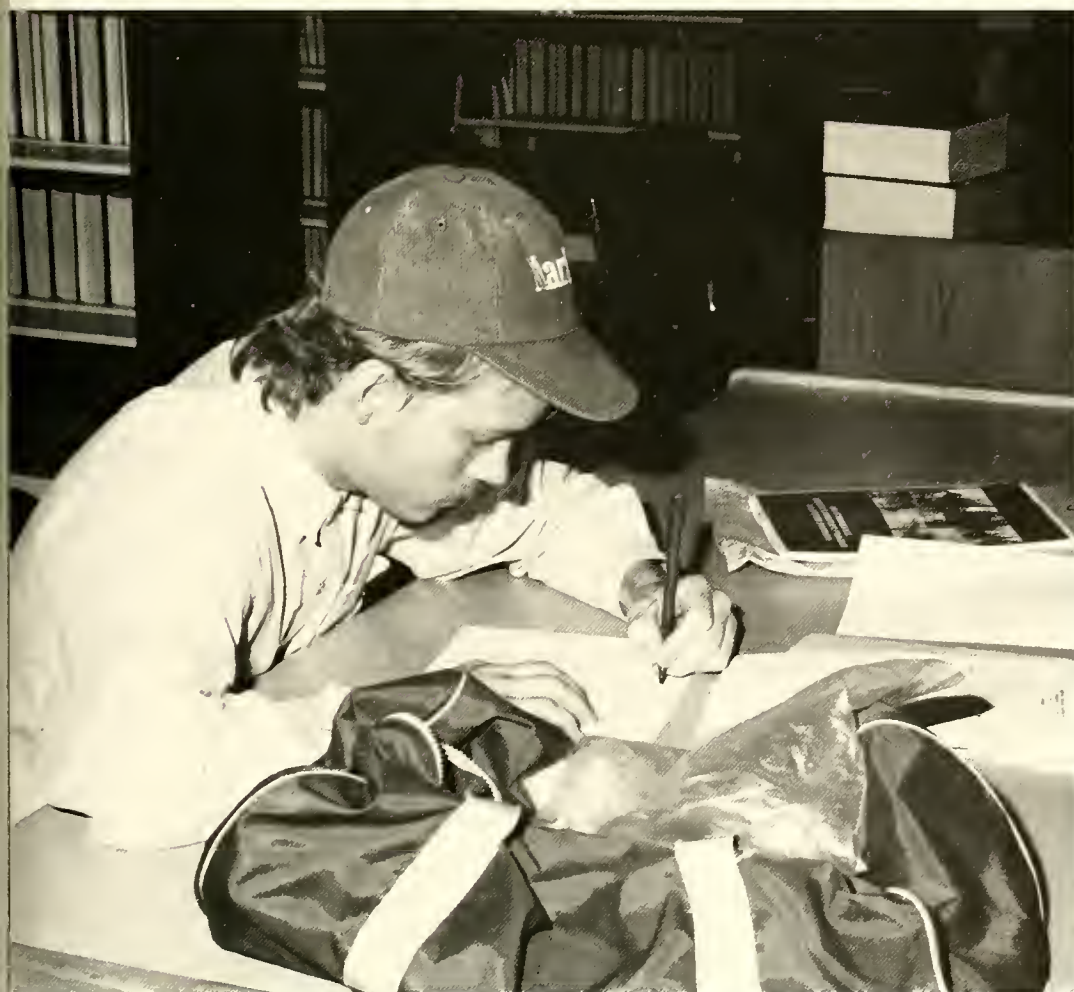




HEATHER MIERISCH,  
Clemmons, NC  
Psychology  
GRANT MINNIX, Rural Hall, NC  
Business Management  
RANDALL MORROW,  
Charlotte, NC  
Computer Information Systems



WILEY L. NEWMAN,  
Culowhee, NC  
Marketing  
MARCIA NICHOLAS,  
Kingston, NC  
Computer Information Systems  
PENNY NICHOLS, Asheville, NC  
Environmental Health



Seniors dream of graduation while looking at class rings.

Students study so often in the library that some refer to Hunter as their "second home".



Friends take time out from the festivities at the Electric Warehouse to smile for the camera.

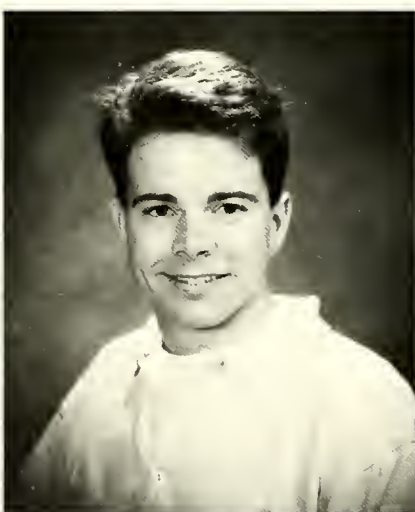
Hallmates in Helder congregate for a snapshot.



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NC  
Economics

DOUGLAS PEASE, Asheville,  
NC  
Computer Information Systems

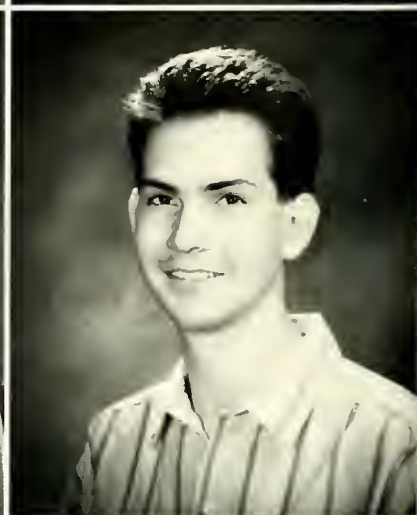
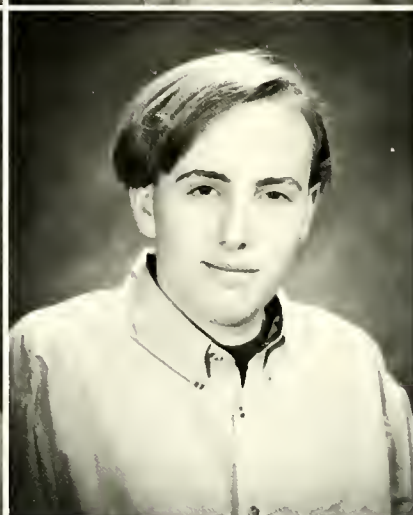
ANITA PETERS, Warrenton, VA  
Accounting/CIS



DENISE F. PICKENS, Murphy,  
NC  
Radio and Television

CHRIS POPRICK, Palm Harbor,  
NC  
Environmental Health

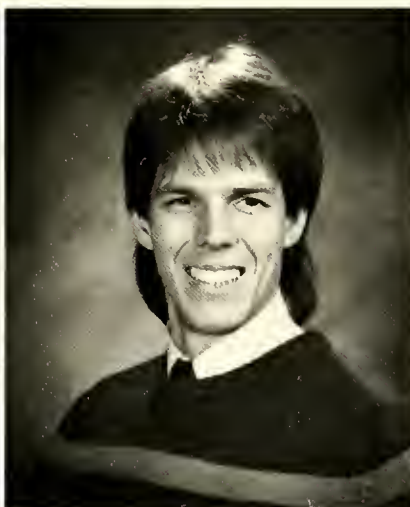
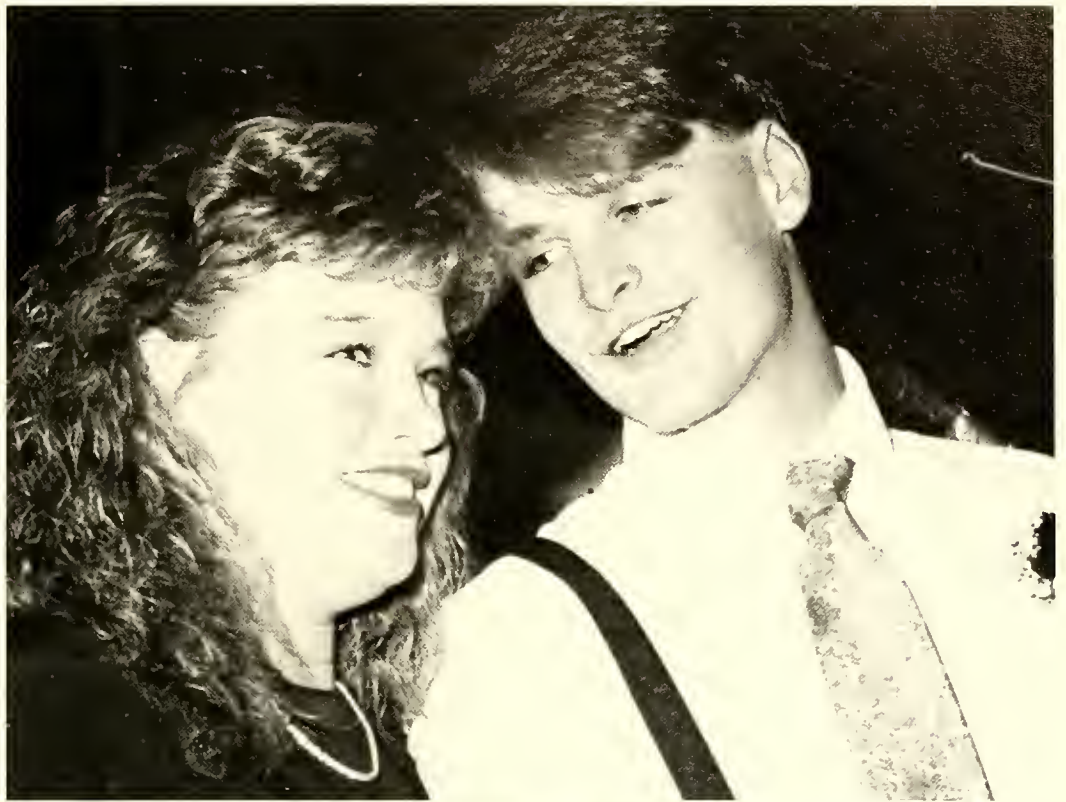
JEFFREY POPRIK, Fayetteville,  
NC  
Business Management





A Sigma Nu brother plays "DJ" for a party.

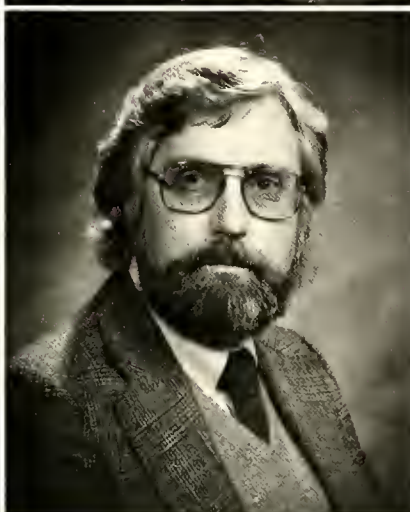
Nancy Seals escorts Dan Daniely, an Alpha Chi calendar guy, at the Electric Warehouse.



SHELLEY REYNOLDS,  
Maggie Valley, NC  
English

CHRISTOPHER RHODES,  
Fletcher, NC  
Computer Information Systems

ANGELA ROBERTS,  
Murphy, NC  
Graphic Design



BRIAN SHAW, Moultrie, GA  
Nuclear Medicine

HAROLD SHOEMAKER,  
Waynesville, NC  
Communications

TARA SMITH, Lutz, FL  
Radio and Television



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Cullowhee, NC  
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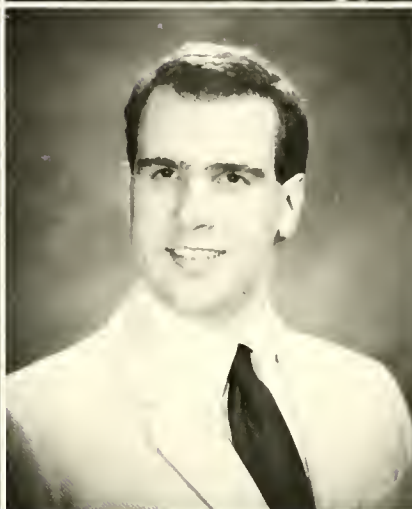
DONALD STORER,  
Asheville, NC  
Business/Accounting



TAVIA STOWE-BISHOP,  
Cullowhee, NC  
Theatre

PHIL STUBBLEFIELD  
Political Science

BRENT TAYLOR,  
Spartanburg, SC  
Marketing



## SENIORS



Tammy Fish performs a difficult partner stunt during JV Cheerleading practice.

A couple of Sigma Kappa's and friends show that Catamount spirit at the Homecoming parade.

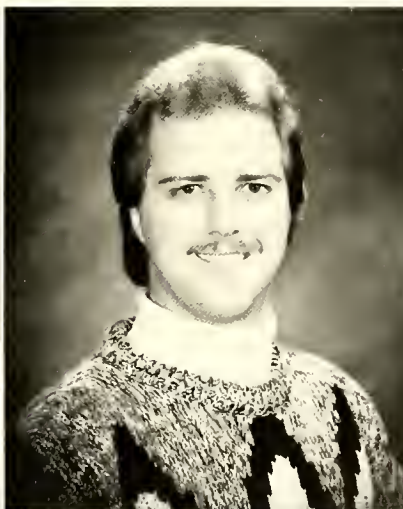
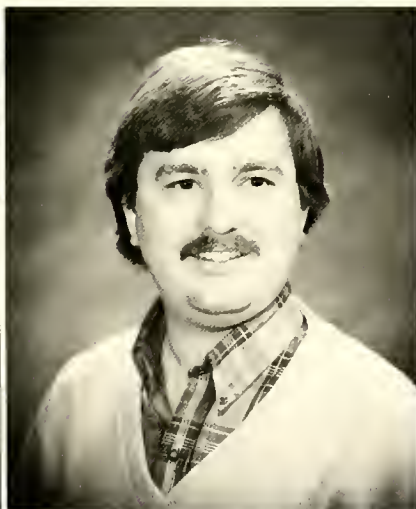
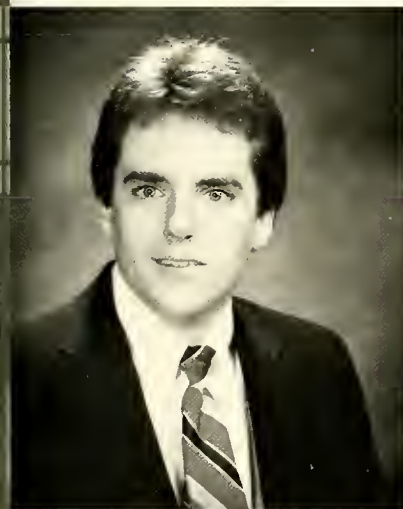






Charlie and Jordan party together at the Sigma Nu house on Halloween night.

Obviously, someone stayed up studying very late last night and just got caught sleeping in the library — something that has to happen to every student at least once.



GREG VARNER, Boger City, NC  
Criminal Justice  
DANA WIGGINS,  
Fayetteville, NC  
Computer Information Systems  
PHILLIP WILLIS, Lawndale, NC  
Marketing



SARAH WOLBERT, Fletcher, NC  
Special Education  
ANGELA YOUNG, Raleigh, NC  
History



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That high-spirited cat shows off his enthusiasm at Midnight Madness.



Commuter students spend their time in the UC studying and watching TV between classes.

Have a drink on us!



GREG ANDREWS,  
Ennice, NC

JOHN ARCH, Cherokee, NC

L. SHANNON BELL,  
Chandler, NC

CHRIS BERN, Cary, NC

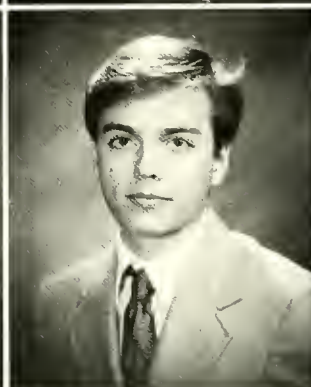


MAUREEN BISHOP

GARDNER BRIDGES,  
Asheville, NC

HUBERT BURNS, Dothan, AL

LEE ANN M. CAPACE,  
Springfield, VA







The Chancellor's award for the most outstanding float went to Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity.

Tailgating — A time to reflect.



GARY CASSIDY,  
Madison, NC  
KATHI CORBETT,  
Clayton, GA  
MELISSA COX,  
Greensboro, NC  
JASON CROOKS,  
Claremont, NC



ALISA DANNER,  
Lawndale, NC  
MARK ELLISON,  
Asheboro, NC  
SOPHIA FEASTER,  
Gastonia, NC  
JONATHON FONDOW,  
Greensboro, NC



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JOEY FRANKLIN, Warne, NC  
 WILLIAM GOBLE, Lenoir, NC  
 ELIZABETH GREER,  
 Morganton, NC  
 TEDDY GUYER, Cullowhee,  
 NC



JOANNA HARING,  
 Fayetteville, NC  
 PHILLIP R. HENSON  
 CARYN IMBERTSON, Palm  
 Beach Gardens, FL  
 JAMES JOHNSON



## Students active in spare time

Even if a student was super-involved in campus organizations or taking a heavy course load, there were a great number of ways for individuals to spend their limited amount of leisure time. Students were often seen in the UC watching free movies, visiting the art gallery, playing pool or some of the various video games. If a student was interested in something a bit more physical, there were facilities available for indoor/outdoor tennis, racquetball, weight lifting, aerobics, swimming, bowling and more.



Kathy Dillilio enjoys a game of pool during a spare moment.





Michelle, Jennifer, Dustin, Hope and Michelle show their support at the Sigma Chi Derby Days.



Bob Hamer escorts the new Homecoming Queen, Traci Shuford, at the Pep Rally.

"She-Devil" Karen Gerber flashes the photographer a devilish grin on Halloween.



SPENCER KEITH,  
Charlotte, NC  
PETER LAMSON,  
Statesville, NC  
ALICIA LIPSEY,  
Rutherfordton, NC  
JOSE LUIS, Charlotte, NC

SUSAN MacMURPHY,  
Cullowhee, NC  
SELINA MCCUISTOEON,  
Asheville, NC  
DEBRA MELZER,  
High Point, NC  
VICKI MINNTON,  
Cullowhee, NC



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Karen and Tracy show their friendship with one another and their smiles reflect this special closeness.



Participants in this aerobics class work towards their goal of the perfect body.



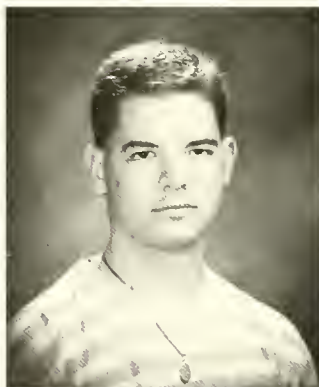
Mark discovers the secrets to his "womanhood" in the pages of COSMO.

SHAWN MOFFITT,  
Asheville, NC

DENISE NEWTON,  
Shelby, NC

MARTHA NICHOLS,  
Louisville, NC

ANDREA OAKES,  
Weaverville, NC

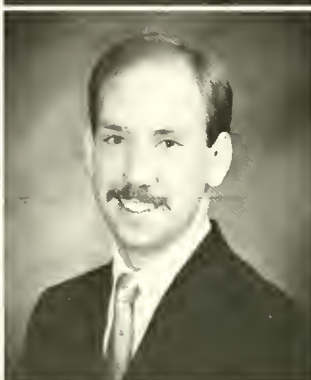


DAVID PARKER,  
Durham, NC

JORDAN PICKETT,  
Durham, NC

ROY PIERSON, Fairfield, NC

JOETTA PITTMAN,  
Allentown, PA

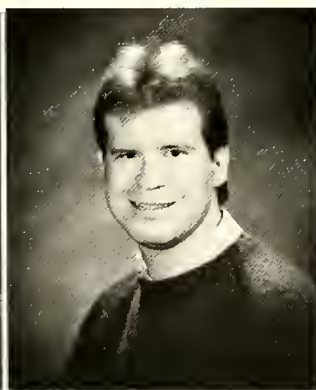
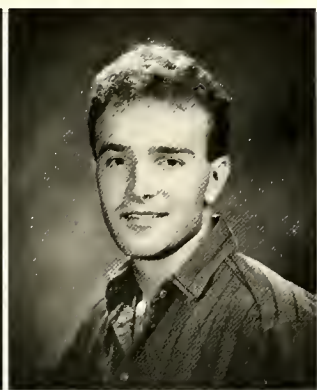




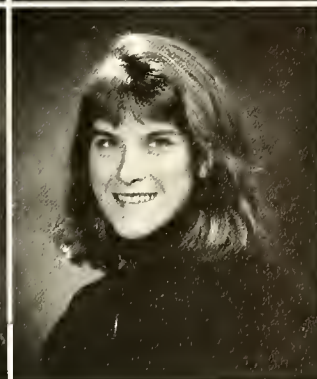
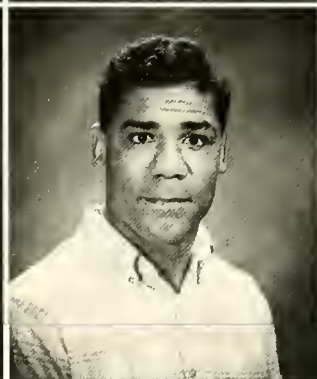


David Talbert shows off that "glamour boy" style at the Electric Warehouse.

It looks as if Shannon Myers, Becky Macon and Traci Shuford had a good time floating down the Tuckasegee during the Lambda Chi raft race.



BRYAN QUEEN,  
Lexington, NC  
CHRIS REECE, Franklin, NC  
JEFF REECE, Balsam, NC  
RUBY ROBERTS



KRISTI ROBINSON,  
Dallas, NC  
RONNIE RORIE,  
Charlotte, NC  
DEBBIE SCOGGINS,  
Durham, NC  
MARY SEYMOUR,  
South Hill, VA



# JUNIORS

TRACI SHUFORD,  
Waynesville, NC

MONICA SHULER,  
Robbinsville, NC

GARY LINH SMITH,  
Colombus, OH

ELIZABETH SOLES,  
Franklin, NC



JOYE CLAIR, Taylorsville, NC

TRACY SWAIN, Salisbury, NC

MICHELLE TEMAN,  
Coral Springs, FL

BILL THOMPSON,  
Anderson, SC



## SGA President Active

During his administration W. Brent Taylor, SGA President, served on various boards and committees including the Board of Trustees, the committee to elect the new head coaches for football and basketball and the WCU Publications Board, which elects the editor of the *Western Carolinian* and the CATAMOUNT.

Brent made many speeches and traveled extensively during his term in office. His remarks were heard by students, faculty and alumni at important affairs such as the convocation, the Alumni Tower dedication and meetings of the senate and UNCASG.

Besides his other responsibilities while in office, Brent managed to accomplish a great deal. He successfully carried out many projects such as bringing back Stray Cat Security and the Catamount Gold Card while also maintaining the responsibility of a staff.

Student Government President, W. Brent Taylor, spoke to the crowd at the dedication of the Alumni Tower on Homecoming Day.





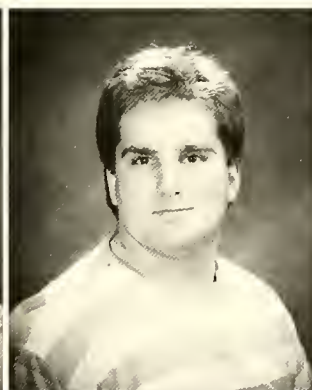


These Lambda Chi's enjoy a sunny afternoon floating down the Tuckasegee.

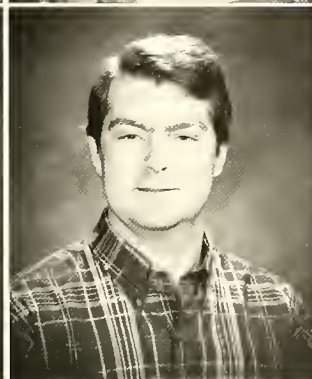


To some, Western is the river of solitude which runs through our lives.

Friends converse as they walk home from their classes together.



MIKE THOMPSON, Charlotte, NC  
THOMAS TOMCHIK, Albemarle, NC  
DANIEL WALKER, Whittier, NC  
GAIL WEBB, Charlotte, NC



FRED WILSON, Raleigh, NC  
SHARON WYATT, Walkertown, NC  
RONALD YOPP, Sneads Ferry, NC

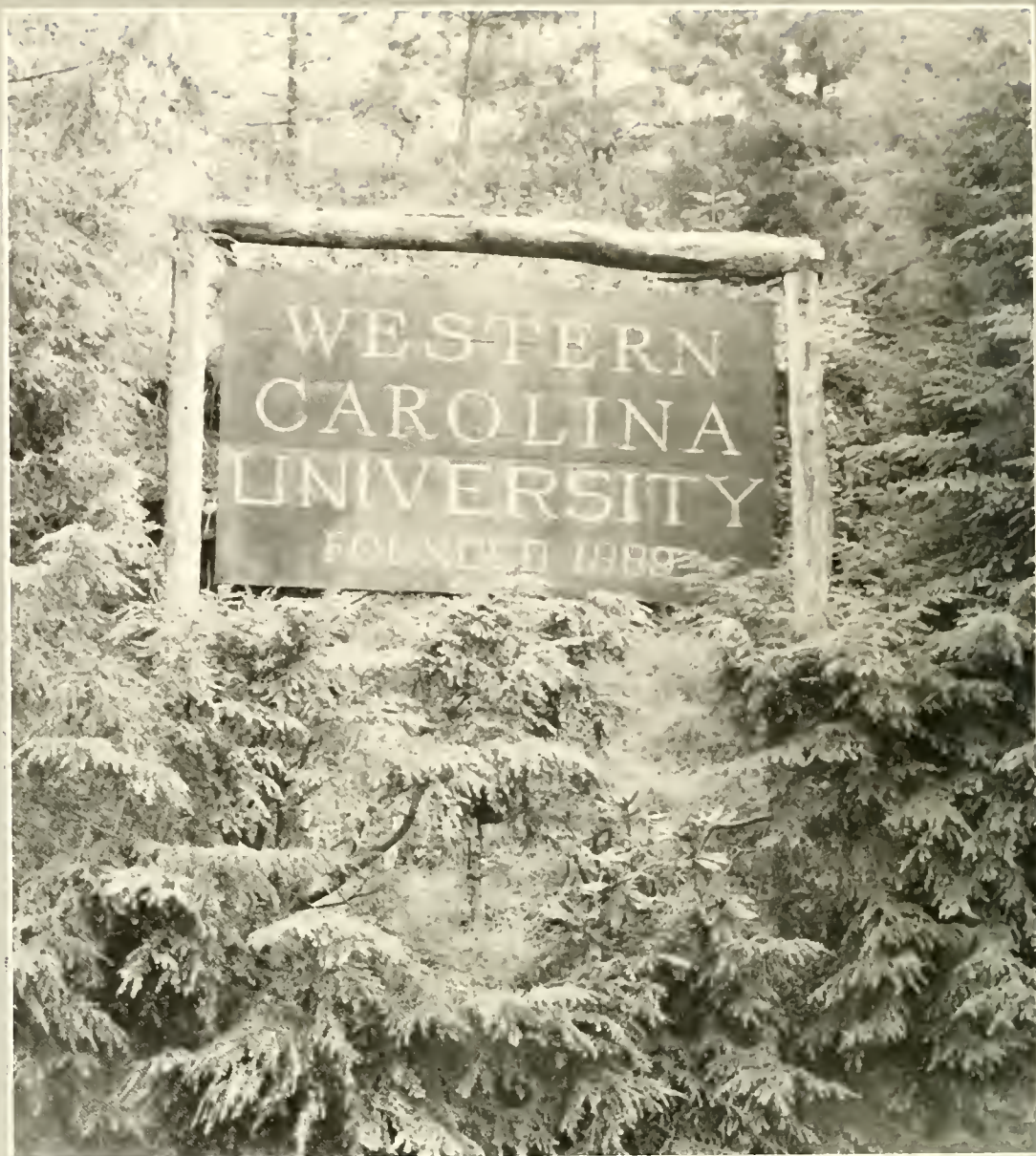


## WCU 1889-1989 THEN AND NOW

What is now WCU began in 1889 as a result of the desire of local people to ensure a good education for their children. A committee of 9 men, headed by Lewis J. Smith, was primarily responsible for the schools establishment. Smith recruited a 22-year-old Virginian named Robert Lee Madison to head the school, which opened as Cullowhee Academy.

Today, Western Carolina University covers over 200 acres and has 64 academic buildings. Its students come from all over the world. It continues to serve the people of the mountains and has far exceeded Madison's ideal for "the kind of school our mountain territory needed."

— Curtis Pate



This sign, located near Hardees, stands at the old entrance to the campus.

ELIZABETH AGNER,  
Salisbury, NC

LESLIE BAKER, Madison, NC

TERRI BARTLETT,  
Candler, NC

AMANDA BARTLETTE,  
Sylva, NC

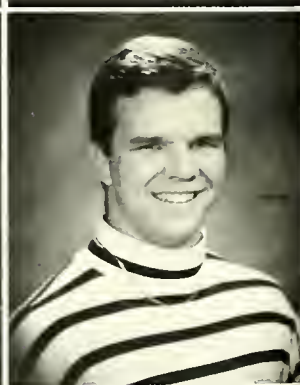


JULIE BENNETT

ROBB BENNETT, Lenoir, NC

KEVIN BLACK, Conover, NC

JOHN BRADY, Salisbury, NC





# SOPHOMORES



JEFFREY BROWN,  
Etowah, NC  
TRICIA BROWN,  
Cullowhee, NC  
KEVIN BUSH,  
Kings Mountain, NC  
HARRY CARRINGTON,  
 Mooresville, NC

SUSAN COBURN,  
Walkertown, NC  
KIMBERLY COLLETTE,  
Winston-Salem, NC  
LEEANNE COWEN,  
Sylva, NC  
TARA EBERLY, Tampa, FL



"Derby Days" brings out a great deal of pride from the Sigma Chi's.

This dance corp member beams with Catamount pride during the half-time homecoming show.

Warm weather encourages outdoor studying.



# SOPHOMORES



Tracy goes for an afternoon jog around campus, an activity that is very popular with students and faculty alike.



These Phi Mu sisters party together and celebrate their new-found sisterhood.



The Homecoming Court looks on at the dedication of the Alumni Tower.

JAN ERTZBERGER,  
Asheville, NC

JENNIFER FIRTH,  
Kings Mountain, NC

JENNIFER FOY, Gastonia, NC

RICHARD FRANCIS



ROBIN FRYE,  
Kernersville, NC

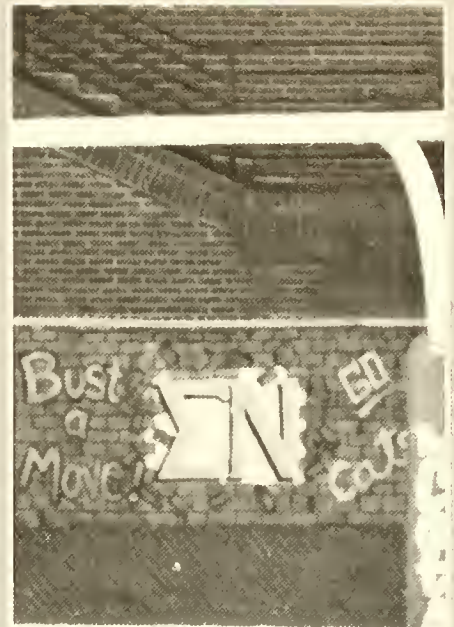
KAREN GERBER,  
Asheville, NC

CAROLE GOUGE,  
Kennesaw, GA

BRIDGETT HOLLAR,  
Taylorsville, NC







Sigma Nu reiniterated the feeling on Homecoming with this poster.

Chris Cook, a senior, seems to be thinking, "My future 's so bright, I gotta wear shades!"



JENNIFER HOOVER,  
Dunedin, FL

ANDREW HOWELL,  
Sparta, NC

ANDRE HUIE,  
Winston-Salem, NC

PENNY L. JONES,  
Winston-Salem, NC

ANNA L. JORDAN,  
Asheville, NC

WILLA JORBANSON,  
Charlotte, NC

JIM KARISH, Vero Beach, FL

MELANIE KEENER,  
Highlands, NC



## SOPHOMORES

DONNA WRIGHT  
LACHELLE, Shelby, NC

MARK LAWS,  
Bryson City, NC

ANGIE LEWIS, Cherokee, NC

KERRI LONG, Dallas, NC

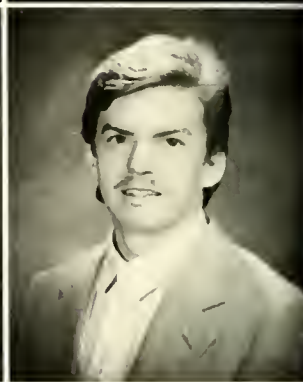


RON MACLEAN,  
Black Mountain, NC

ASHLEY MARTIN,  
Cullowhee, NC

BRIAN MARTIN,  
Gastonia, NC

JASON McDANIEL,  
Cleveland, NC



### ROTC — A Real Challenge

The ROTC department at Western is different from other departments on campus because it challenges the student physically as well as mentally.

During the early morning hours, some of these students go to work out. At 6:00 a.m., these members are out on a field doing laps around the track, sit-ups, push-ups, chin-ups and other activities.

"It really is a challenge being in ROTC because it is intellectually stimulating and a real physical workout — 5:30 in the morning comes really quick," commented Jim West.



ROTC members go through extensive training involving grueling physical conditioning.

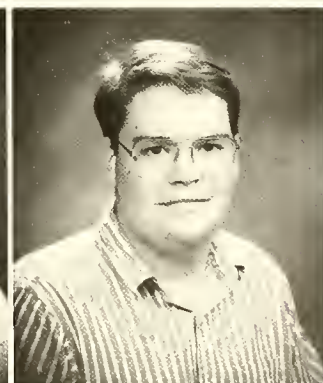
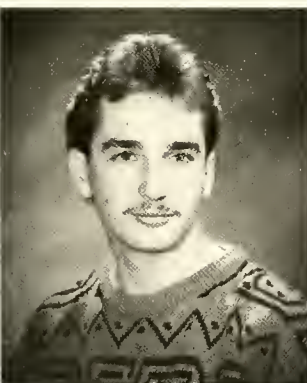
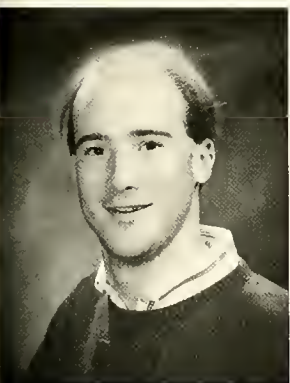




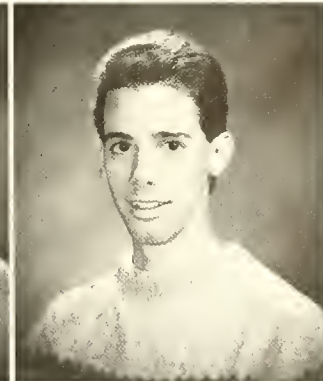
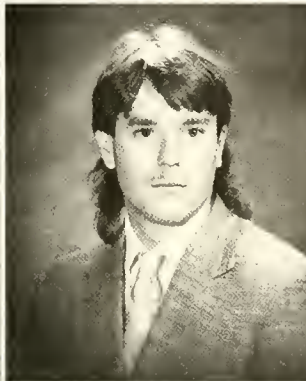
"Mom, I was wondering. Can I go to the Bahamas over Spring Break??"

A student relaxes and enjoys the sunshine in between classes.

These two look as if they are on their way to Reid gym to work out.



WILLIAM B. MURPHY,  
Statesville, NC  
VANCE NORDAN, Sapphire  
Valley, NC  
PATRICIA PERKINS,  
Salisbury, NC  
CAL REIGHLY,  
Greenwood, SC



JENNIFER RIDDLE, Fort  
Lauderdale, FL  
KATHERINE SCOTT,  
Greenville, SC  
DAVID SHAFFER,  
Hendersonville, NC  
EDMUND SHBERGER,  
Mountain Home, NC



# SOPHOMORES



An obvious Auburn fan waits for a friend outside of Dodson cafeteria.



Bob Hamer accepts a check from Chancellor Coulter on behalf of KA and DZ for their winning float in the homecoming parade.



Friends chat and work on homework assignments outside the UC.

PAULA SHEARIN, Cary, NC

CHRISTOPHER A. SMITH,  
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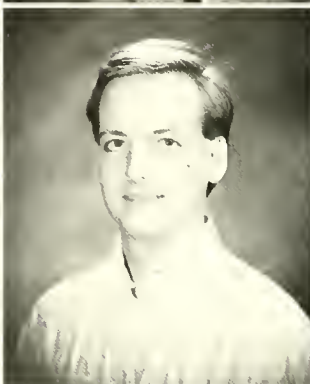
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These four friends "ham it up" for  
the CATAMOUNT photographer.

Rodney Cook and Valerie Florence  
converse in front of Forsyth.



A Mike Night participant performs  
for an audience in PG Katz.



## Cullowhee scenery attracts students

The sound of the water rushing effortlessly over rocks can be heard from some distance on any calm day. Waterfalls form glistening pools which reflect the world around them. The rattling of leaves in the fall breeze is a simple kind of music to most anyone's ears. The warm sun shines down through the trees which seems like an eternal light. The crispness in the air makes one feel alive and ready to explore all that is around.

These wonders of nature are bountiful in Cullowhee. They attract students from many different places and bring them to Western Carolina.

— Gail Webb



Beautiful waterfalls, such as this one, are plentiful in Western North Carolina.

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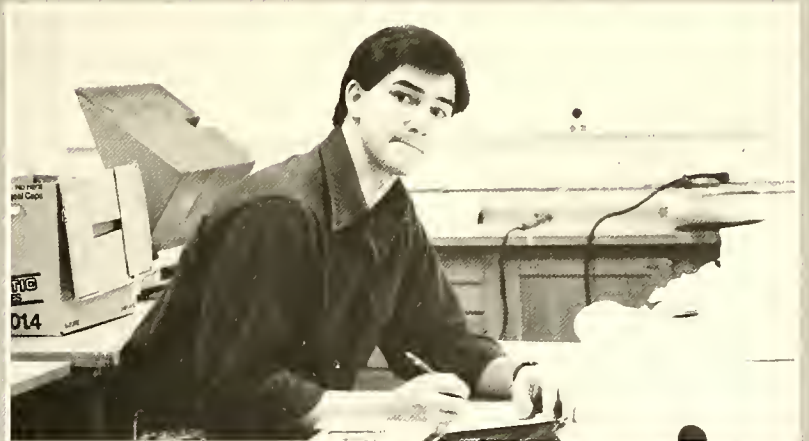
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New York, NY  
JULIE CHOATE,  
Hickory, NC



Do you mind? I'm trying to do my homework for a change.



Due to the size of Western's campus students can conveniently walk, instead of having to drive to their classes.

This student prepares to answer a professor's question.



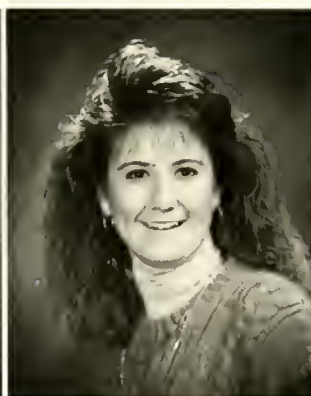
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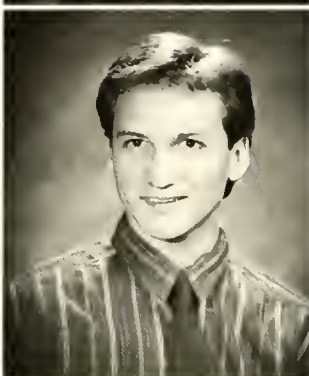
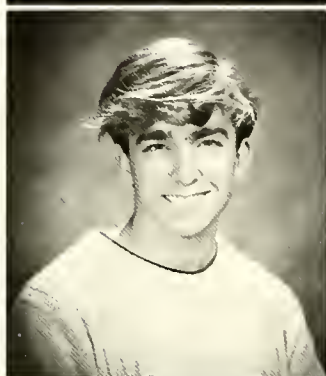


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JILL DUNCAN, Murphy, NC

REBECCA DUNCAN,  
Flat Rock, NC



## Friends Forever

friend —

(frend), n. 1. A person whom one knows, likes, and trusts. 4. One with whom one is allied in a struggle or cause; a comrade.

You often hear that the friends you make in college will be the best friends of your life. What could the reason for this be? Junior Traci Shuford said, "When you are in college, you become really close to the friends you have because you rely on their support for the bad times and you celebrate together during the good times." Shannon Myers described her friendships with her sorority sisters by saying, "When you spend a lot of time together doing things like eating, partying, shopping, studying, and relaxing, you get to know each other well and you don't ever forget the things you did and the time you spent together."

These three buddies celebrate and party together on a weekend night.







Brett Lawson escorts  
homecoming queen candidate  
Andrea Adams.



Students enjoying hanging out at  
Forsyth between classes.

Members of the cross country  
team go for practice runs in the  
afternoon.



JILL ELMORE,  
Lincolnton, NC  
SUSAN EVETT, Charlotte, NC  
RENEE FERGUSON,  
Jefferson, NC  
JENNIFER FRANK,  
Suane, GA

REBECCA FRANK,  
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Kernersville, NC  
GINGER FREIZE,  
Gastonia, NC  
JILL FULKERSON,  
Atlanta, GA



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An ROTC member rests between laps.



Bicycling helps to keep this faculty member in shape.



Furman's mascot, the Paladon, harasses the cat on the sideline.

KRISTI GABRELS,  
Clayton, GA

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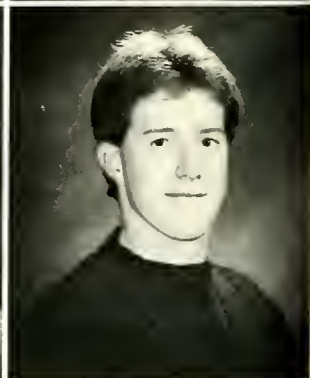
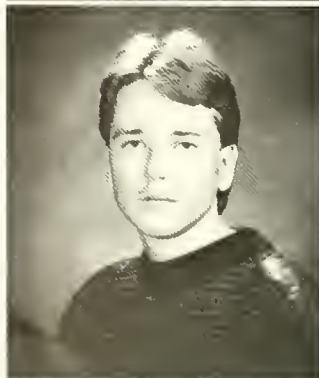
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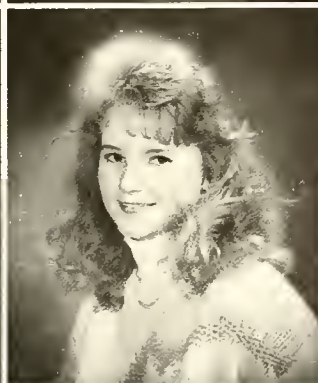
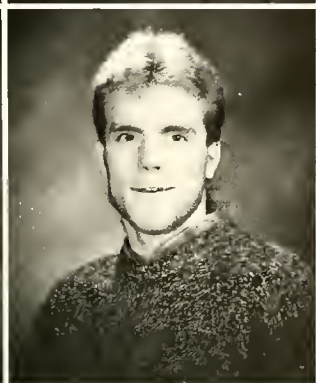


A Pike proudly displays his letters on the way to class.

David and Jeff pose for the snapshot but Alicia is more interested in the beer.



MATT GREGORY,  
Sherrills Ford, NC  
TRESSA HALL,  
Burnesville, NC  
AMY HANNER, Charlotte, NC  
TANYA HARE, Shelby, NC



PEGGY HARRIS,  
Spencer, NC  
ANGIE HARRISON,  
Hickory, NC  
LEONARD R. HARRISON,  
Shelby, NC  
TONYA HAWKINS,  
Kings Mountain, NC



## Students Work to Defray Expenses.

Money is an important part of any college students priorities. Tuition, room and board, telephone bills, sorority/fraternity obligations and general spending money can really add up. To help with the strain of continuing their education, some students choose to work at an on-campus job. Working in intramurals, the information desk at the U.C., secretarial work in an academic office or as a resident assistant in the dorm are all ways to make a little extra cash. Most of the leadership positions at Western are also paid a stipend. The student body president, the station manager of WWCU, the head residents in the dorms and the editors of campus publications, as well as their staffs, are compensated for their efforts. John Dennis commented on the benefits of his job as a layout designer for the Western Carolinian by saying, "I met new people, gained job experience (which helped me in attaining the position of Editor) and the extra money helped pay for all of the activities that I did in my spare time."

This student sacrifices time during the week to have extra cash for the weekend.



ELIZABETH HAYNES,

Waynesville, NC

ALICE-LYLE HAZEL,

Charlotte, NC

STEPHANIE HILTON

LESLIE HOYLE, Shelby, NC



LISA HUGHES, Weddington, NC

JAMIE HUTCHENS, East Bend, NC

JENNIFER JENSEN, Asheville, NC

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ANGELA KANUPP, Hickory, NC  
TONY KEE, Belmont, NC  
ANGELA KIDD, Fayetteville, NC  
ELAINE KING, Murphy, NC



This student expresses her concern for others by giving blood. The American Red Cross bloodmobile visits the campus three to four times per academic year.



This "mountain man", alias Chris Rhodes, models his costume after a Kappa Alpha-Phi Mu "rolling in the hay" mixer.

Laura Cathey exhibits her intellectual side?



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Alpharetta, GA  
MARTHA LAMB,  
Kernersville, NC  
HOPE LAWRIE, Charlotte, NC  
BRIAN LENIHAN



DANA LEONARD, Lexington,  
NC  
JACK C. LIM, Black Mountain,  
NC  
KRISTIE LITTLETON,  
Monroe, NC  
LORI LIVERMAN, Aulander,  
NC



### "Welcome to the Jungle"

Cadets involved in the ROTC department enjoy various activities and trips that offer experiences that no other department in the university can match.

During the fall, a trip to Yonah Mountain in Georgia, gives the students the chance to dress up in camouflage, repel down the mountain, engage in "war-games" and eat the lavish cuisine that can only be expected from "chow time" in the woods.

During the rest of the year, tests on the obstacle course and PT in the early morning keeps cadets in shape for the strenuous job of handling their class work, ROTC duties and other extra-curricular activities.

But, all work and no play isn't good for any student. Therefore, the program also treats cadets to many fun activities such as the annual military ball held each Spring.

Dan West brings the term "camouflaging" to an art form.







(above) Lieutenant Colonel Mountain presents awards to cadets at the Fall awards day ceremony.

(far left) Tom Updegraff and Dan Meaney serve chow.

(left) Adam Cloninger smiles bravely as he prepares to repel down Yonah Mountain in Georgia.



ROBERT LOCKEY, Durham, NC  
STEPHANIE LOWRANCE, Catawba, NC  
JENNIFER MANN, Wilkesboro, NC  
SHARON MARTIN, Hamptonville, NC



ELIZABETH MASHBURN, Mocksville, NC  
MISHELLEY MASON, Franklin, NC  
TRACY MCLEAN, St. Petersburg, FL  
STEPHANIE MESSER, Winston-Salem, NC



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Getting rowdy with a few friends on a weekend night helps relieve the stress of school.



Three friends huddle together to keep warm.



It sure beats walking!

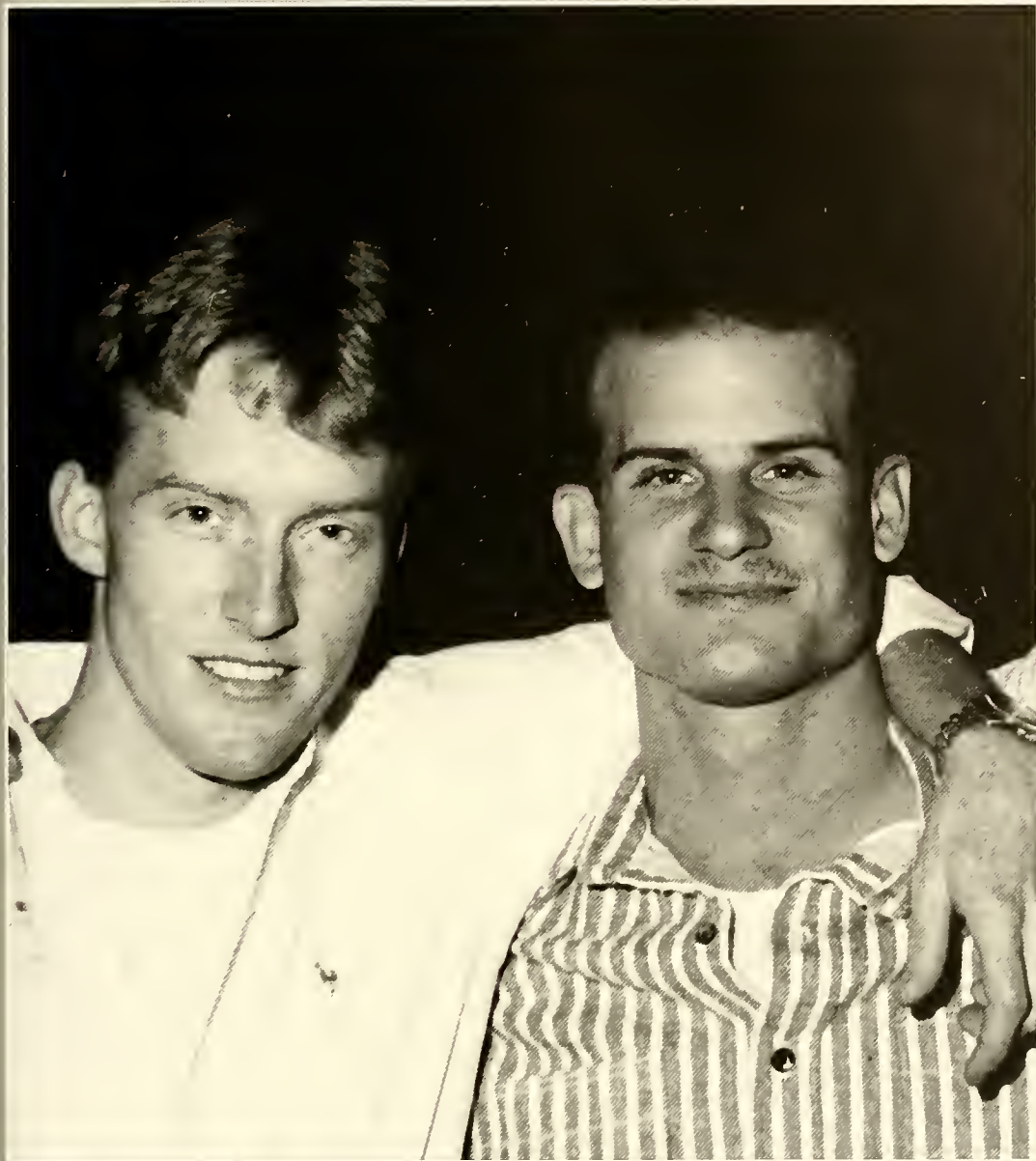
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Lavonia, NC  
TAMMI MORGAN,  
Hendersonville, NC



TRACEY MORROW,  
Gastonia, NC  
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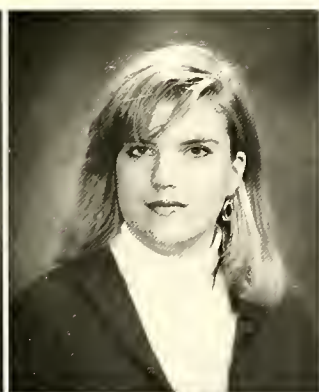






The Cat escorts the Lady Cat onto the field during Homecoming.

These two appear to be very excited about, not studying, but partying instead.



SCOTT NIVENS,  
Huntersville, NC

KAREN OWEN,  
Cullowhee, NC

ANGELA PERRY,  
Banner Elk, NC

KEVIN PETERSON,  
Burnsville, NC



KINNY PETERSON,  
Burnsville, NC

MONICA PETTY,  
Waxhaw, NC

ALISON RHODES,  
Statesville, NC

ROBERT RHODES,  
Asheville, NC



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Party Hard! 1990 Phi Mu Carnation Ball.



Canoeing down the Tuckasegee River is a relaxing way to spend a Saturday afternoon.

Alpha Chi Omega does Daytona! Spring Break 1990 had many students heading "South of the Border" for a fun-filled week.



DASH RIPROCK, Charlotte, NC  
MICHELLE ROBERSON, Mocksville, NC  
JENNY ROCKWELL, Lilburn, NC  
KATHERINE RODGERS, Cary, NC



KARL-HEINZ ROSEMAN, Kannapolis, NC  
JOHN RUNYAN, Clemmons, NC  
JENNIFER SARTOR, Orlando, FL  
TINA SAUNDERS, Huntersville, NC







Ninety-Nine Purple and Gold Balloons!

The Cat receives the homecoming game ball from a member of the Eighty-Second Airborne Sport Parachute Club.



NILAN SHAH, Cary, NC  
HEATHER J. SMECEK, Atlanta, GA  
LAURA SMITH, Asheville, NC  
MELISSA STARNES, Salisbury, NC

KAREN STEWART, Burlington, NC  
SHELLEY STREETT, Burnesville, NC  
BRIGETTE STRIDER, Asheboro, NC  
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NOUPHINE THAVICHITH,  
Maiden, NC  
MARGARET THOMPSON,  
Dalton, GA  
AUNDREA THORNTON,  
Creedmor, NC



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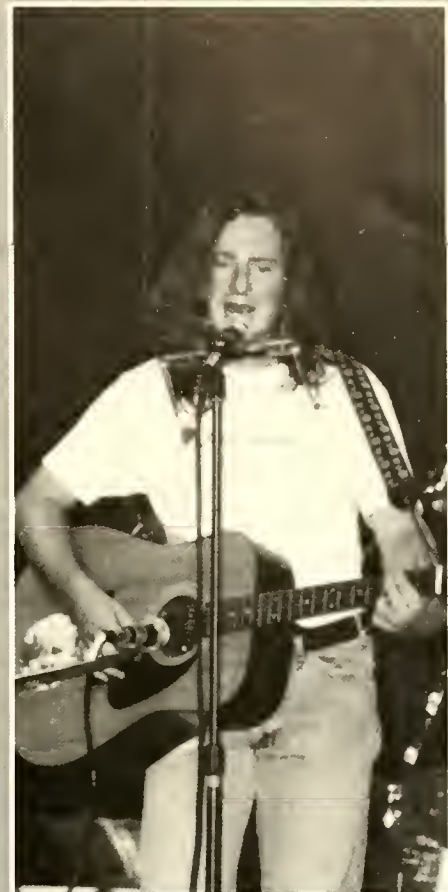
## "STRESSIN' OUT!"

Students have to be very careful these days about managing stress. College students of the eighties and nineties face many challenges and learning to deal with these anxieties in a positive manner is a must. Freshmen are ideal victims for "stressing out!" Living away from home for the first time, living with a roommate, learning to manage finances as well as time, the party scene and the increased class workload all contribute to the incredible amount of stress that all new students encounter. When stress becomes chronic and unrelieved though, it can cause headaches, depression and serious physical problems. There are many ways to avoid these pitfalls though. Exercise, such as walking or swimming is helpful as is getting a sufficient amount of sleep.

Ken Beauchamp demonstrates an ideal way to alleviate the tension caused by stress.

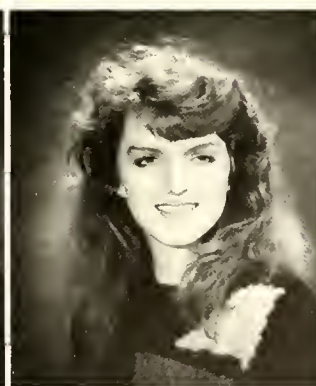






A "Mike Night" participant sings for the crowd.

Earth Day 1990, held on the UC lawn, brought many organizations together for a single purpose — the education of the community in an effort to save the planet.



JESSICA VOGL, Charlotte, NC  
ALISA WAERLOP, Raleigh, NC  
THOMAS WALLER, Alpharetta, GA  
MELODY WARD, Washington, NC



STEPHANIE WARD, Selma, NC  
KAREN WATKINS, Dallas, NC  
LINDA WAYCASTER, High Schools, NC  
WENDY WEAUIL, Lexington, NC



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A student "swings it out" in the Third Annual Whatever-A-Thon.

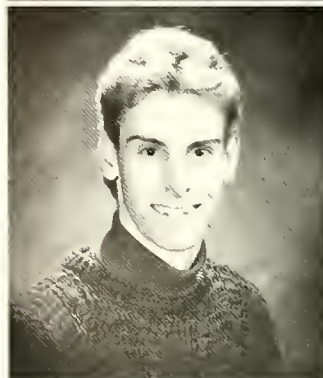


A group forced to perform inside during Spring Fling due to the un-cooperative weather.

A "couple" of students enjoying just spending time together.



JANIE WEBB, Morganton, NC  
NICOLE WILDMAN,  
Fayetteville, NC  
JEFFREY WILLIAMS,  
Williamston, NC  
MISSY WODERY, Charlotte,  
NC



LUKE C. YARBROUGH,  
Clemmons, NC



An aerial view of the alumni tower just after the dedication. Students have already begun to use the site as a meeting place, study lounge and picnic area.











<i>Senior Ads .....</i>	<i>198</i>
<i>Business Ads .....</i>	<i>202</i>

*Ads*





*Wendy Abel*

*Congratulations on this important milestone in your life! We love you, Barb, Dad, and the Gang*



*Mark Dellinger*



*Congratulations!  
Love, Dad and Mom*



*Branson Hyler*



*Congratulations to our son.  
We're proud of you!  
We love you.  
Mom, Dad & family*



*Sandra Faith Green*

*Congratulations to our one and only daughter and sister.  
We love you!  
Mother, Daddy and Mitchell*





*Richard H. Harper, Jr.*



*Congratulations Richie!  
We are so proud of you!  
Love, Mom and Dad*

*"You've come a long  
way, Baby!"*



*Congratulations Scot!*



*\*From Kindergarten to  
College Degree\**

*What a Story!*



*We love you son! Mom and Dad*

*Joseph Stephen Hunter, Jr.*



*"And this is my prayer, that your love may grow ever  
richer and richer in real knowledge and all discernment,  
that you may test the things that are better, that you may  
be unsullied and blameless as you face the day of Christ,  
abounding in the fruits of righteousness which comes  
through Jesus Christ to the glory and praise of God"*

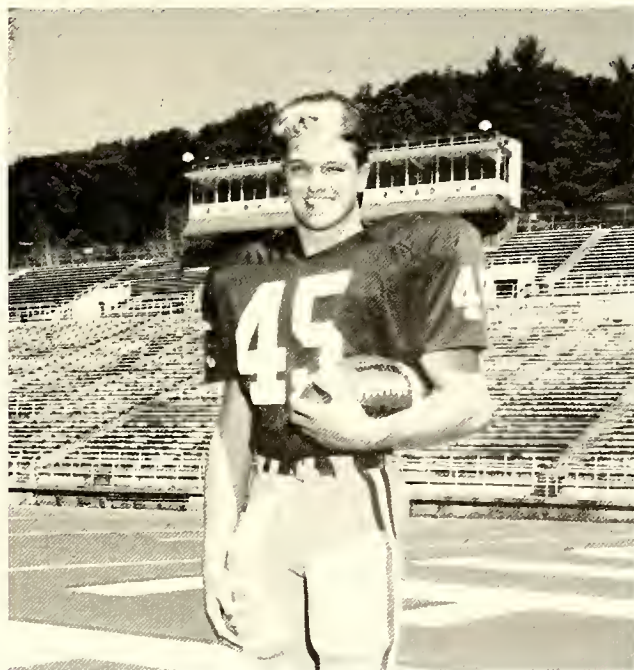
*— Philippians 1:9-11*

*Way to go Hunter!*

*Love you always,  
Mother and Kelleigh*



*David Jones*



*Your four years at WCU have really gone by fast. We're so proud of you. Your three  
years under Coach Waters were really great and you met a lot of personal goals. It's too  
bad the new coach didn't give you a chance. Congratulations on being named to the  
Academic All-American Team! You've given us so much to be proud of. We love you!  
Mom, Dad, Michelle, & Chad*



*Jeff Livengood*

*Congratulations on your Graduation! You have worked hard and we are proud of you.*



*We love you, Your family,  
Dad, Mom, and Mark*



*Jeffrey Scott Mason*

*No words can express how much we love you and how proud we are of you. We simply thank God every moment for making you a part of our lives. Continue to grow in stature with God and man.*

*Congratulations! We Love You.*

*Mom, Dad, and Stephen*

*Karen Marie Siehl*



*Her motto at age 2 was "I do it myself."*

*At 22 her goal is:*

*Caring enough to teach others to do it themselves.*

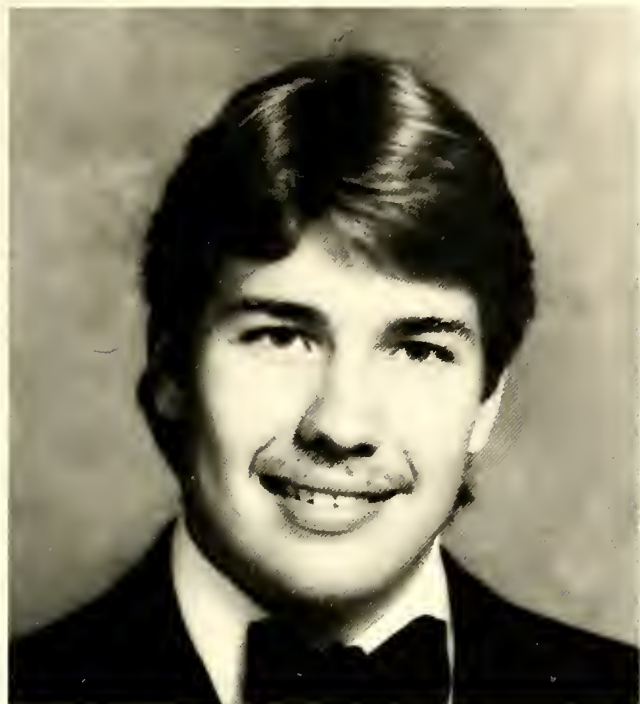
*Congratulations!*

*Special Education Major 1990*

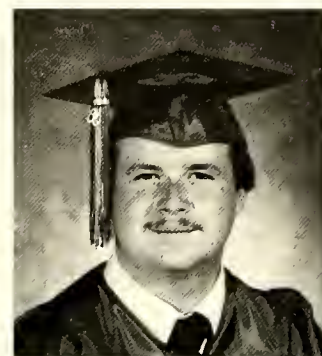




*Roger Pegram  
 Congratulations! You are Number One!  
 We are very proud of you.  
 Love always,  
 Mom and Dad*



*Tim Vehem*



*Congratulations, Timmy!  
 We are very proud of you and love you.  
 Love, Mama and Ray*

*Kelle Wright*

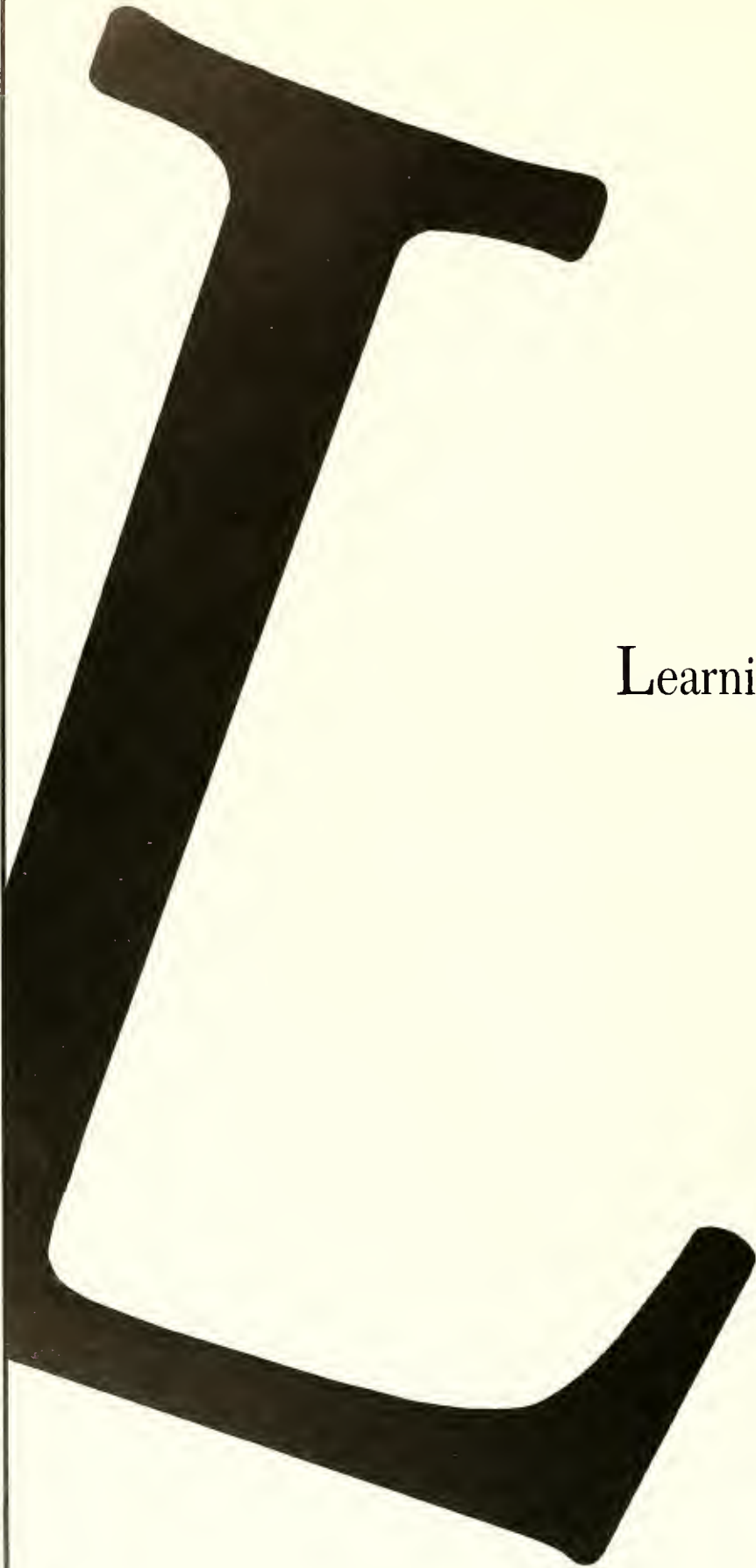
*On the day you were born we knew you were special. We watched you grow from diapers, to cowboy boots, to formal dresses. From your first words to your poems that were published, you proved that you are a very special young lady. Congratulations! We Love You. Mom and Dad*



*Congratulations  
 Class of 1990*

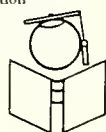
*From the Catamount yearbook staff*





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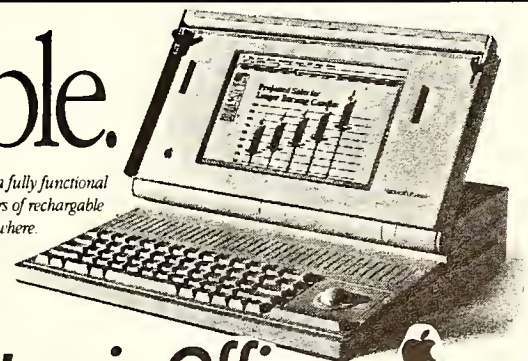
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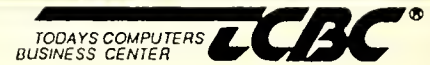


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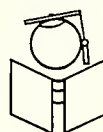


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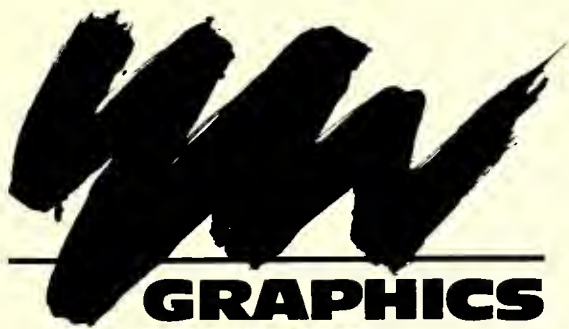
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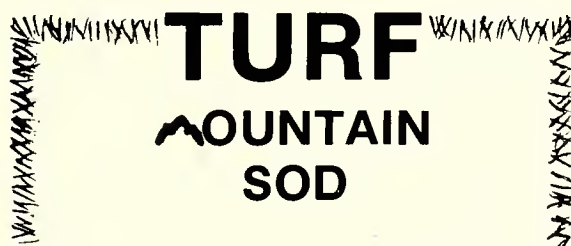
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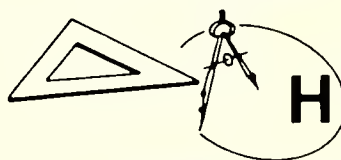
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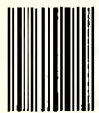
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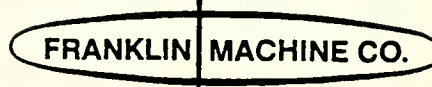
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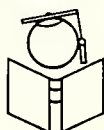
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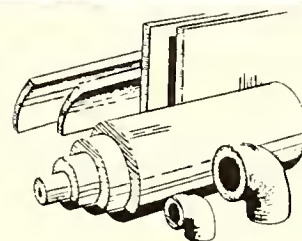
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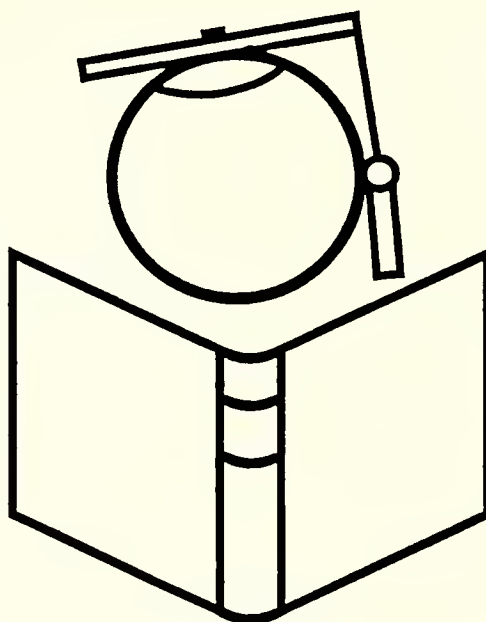
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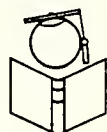
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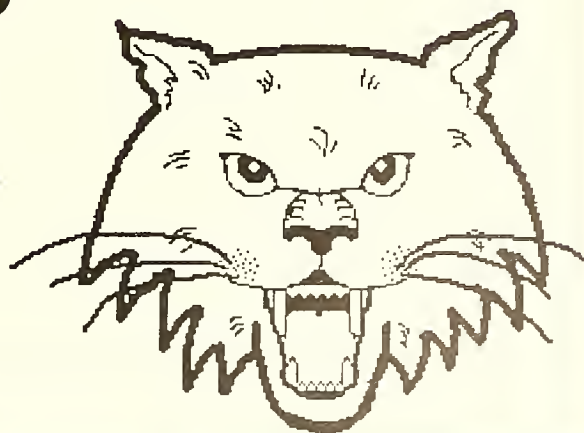
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I would have to say that the past year spent putting this book together has been one of the best, and at a few rare moments, one of the worst, experiences of my life. Mainly though, it was great. Sure there were times (at 3 a.m. on several occasions and on those four days of my Spring Break here in Cullowhee) that were tough to get through and it didn't seem like the work would EVER end, but with some help, the staff and the book made it. There were a lot of good things that I experienced and learned about. I learned how to trust and pick out the best in people and use their individual talent to theirs and the CATAMOUNTs benefit. I met a lot of people and I've become close to several of those people because of this book.

It is difficult to explain to a person who has never worked on a yearbook, what a tremendous amount of work it is, so I'm not EVEN going to try, but I do hope that everyone who looks at this yearbook believes that it took the dedication and interest of several people who did their best to see to it that this book expressed the memories of 1989-90 with enthusiasm, spirit, pride and style.

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